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Born in his father's nursery. Spent his boyhood among plants. Has given his life to the nursery business. Has specialized in the Peony, originating many of the world's finest varieties. Has continued to operate the business that was established in Faribault in 1868, 70 years ago.

Distributor of the world's best Peonies. The finest varieties of Irises. Lilacs propagated on their own roots. The best in ornamental shrubs. The newest fruits. The choicest seeds. R. BRAND, as has been true for so many years, gives much time and thought to the production of new varieties of Peonies. He also gives personal attention to the supervision of the field work, thus insuring well-grown nursery stock. About ten years ago Mr. Brand became keenly interested in the new so-called French Lilacs. He has now built up a collection of about two hundred of the new Lilacs. He is now testing these and discarding all but the very best.

In propagating Lilacs he uses a special method by which it is practical to grow French Lilacs on their own roots. He now offers only "own root" Lilacs.

But not satisfied with growing and distributing the work of other hybridizers only, he is now at work in producing his own varieties. He has an immense bed of seedlings. From this bed he has already selected and is propagating many new varieties. Before many years he hopes to offer to the public not only Brand Peonies but Brand Lilacs.

ISS GENTRY was formerly a High School teacher but twenty years ago she gave up teaching and accepted Mr. Brand's offer to take charge of his office. Through her association with Mr. Brand and his work, her interest in the Peony itself, as well as in the sales department of the business, developed rapidly, and in 1920 she became Mr. Brand's partner.

In 1929 the business was incorporated and she is its Secretary and Treasurer.

Miss Gentry presides over the office and answers your letters. Both she and Mr. Brand give their personal attention to the filling of your orders, and this means you will receive satisfactory stock.

## Do You Need Help in Selecting Your Peonies or Lilacs?

If you are not acquainted with varieties and find it difficult to make your own selection, trust us to send you a fine list. Tell us how many Peonies or Lilacs you wish, the amount you can invest in that number, something about the colors you prefer, and a selection we make for you will more than please.



## Our Spring Peony List ~



**A Brand Division** 

#### SIZE OF ROOT

It is unfortunate that Peonies have to be sold at a certain price per root. Unless due discretion is used as to the size, kind, and quality of the root, the price alone means nothing.

We have standardized a type and quality of root now generally known to the Peony world as "A Brand Division." Our Brand Divisions have a large, well-balanced root system, and each one carries three, five, or more eyes.

#### PRICE PER ROOT

Only a large, clean division, handled by specialized labor, can qualify as "A Brand Division." This is why no Peony in our list is priced lower than \$1.00. A root that can be produced and sold for less is not comparable in quality and size to a Brand Division. Figure the cost of your Peonies, not according to the price per root, but according to the size and beauty of bloom-the quality and the quantity of yield—then you will find that no other Peonies cost so little as those which are grown from Brand Divisions.

#### TRANSPORTATION

We have always been willing to give our personal attention to all of our orders no matter how small they may be. But we do ask our customers to send an additional amount to cover the postage and the extra cost of handling small orders.

When one Peony root is ordered allow 25 cents for postage and an additional 10 cents for each root until your order amounts to \$5.00. We prepay on all Peony orders amounting to \$5.00 or more in the United States.

#### CREDIT and TERMS

Our terms are cash with order unless you have already established credit with us. To regular customers or to new customers who establish credit with us, our terms are 60 days net.

Cash should accompany all orders amounting to less than \$5.00.

If you wish C. O. D. shipment send 25% of the value of your order.

Remit by money order, draft, or check. If you inclose stamps or cash your letter should be registered.

We know from our long experience with the Peony that just as good results are obtained by planting roots in the spring as in the fall if you plant roots that have been held in proper condition in storage through the winter. However, we do believe that these dormant roots should be planted just as early in each locality as the season permits. By planting early our large divisions will give some bloom within a few weeks after they are planted.

# Instructions for Planting PEONIES

If you are ready to plant your Peonies when they arrive, wash off all packing material and drop the roots into water. Just before planting, remove the labels so the wire will not cut the roots. Dig a hole 2 feet in diameter and from 1 to 11/2 feet deep. Place the Peony root in the hole so the eyes on the root are 2 inches below the level of the ground. It may be necessary to place more soil back into the hole in order not to have the eyes more than 2 inches below the level of the ground. Be sure the soil is tramped down well so it will not settle any more. Hold the division erect in the center of the hole with one hand, with the other draw in the soil and pack it firmly about the root so that just the eyes show. Give the root a pail of water and then fill in the balance of the hole and firm the soil tightly. Just as soon as the Peony appears above the ground, begin to cultivate at least twice each week until August 1st. By keeping the soil loose during the first growing season, there should be no loss.

### Brand's Peony Manual

This instructive book, consisting of 64 pages, is sent free with every order amounting to \$5.00 or more. For this reason we are not using valuable catalog space to give all the information on the Peony we feel our customers need. To those who do not purchase from us, we make a charge of 25c for the book. Order one and we feel sure you will not be disappointed with your purchase.



## BRAND PEONY FARMS, Inc.

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## What a COLLECTION

Every Variety in this Fine Collection Rates 9 or Above

**Every Root is a Brand Division** 

**Every Root a Real Specimen and** True-to-Name

### A Well Balanced Collection for Color Consisting of \_\_

- 2 of the Finest Reds 2 of our Best Pure Whites
- 1 Deep Pink
- 2 Medium Pinks
- 3 Light Pinks

### Here is the List

9.2	Philippe Revoire. Late; deep red	\$3.00
	Langfellow. Early; bright red	
9.9	Le Cygne. Early, creamy white	3.00
9.6	Mrs. A. M. Brand. Late; pure white	4.00
9.1	Sauv. de Lauis Bigot. Midseason; deep pink	2.00
9.0	Ella Christiansen. Late midseason; medium	3.00
9.0	June Day. Midseason; medium pink	2.00
9.0	Hazel Kinney. Early midseason; light pink.	2.00
9.1	Mrs. Ramaine B. Ware. Late midseason;	
	light pink	2.00
9.1	Myrtle Gentry, Late: light pink,	

A Total Value of \$25.50

for \$20.00 For Spring Only



Le Cygne - Creamy White



## TOP-NOTCH REDS

8.5 ADOLPHE ROUSSEAU (Dessert & Mechin)

One of the very good early dark reds. The plant is very tall and holds its flowers so erect that it makes a fine showing. One of the finest of all red Peonies as a landscape variety. A great dark flower that looks almost black and unusually rich when viewed from a dis-A Brand Division \$1.00

8.7 AUGUSTE DESSERT

A large midseason rose-red, with large round petals, each edged with a distinct, narrow silver border. Plant of medium height and a prolific bloomer. A brilliant light red that is very distinct in color A Brand Division \$2.00 and form and a most desirable sort.

7.8 CHARLES McKELLIP

From the rating this Peony received years ago, one might think it was not a desirable variety. We have always felt it deserved a much higher rating and our customers have always been pleased with this fine red. It comes into bloom just after Mary Brand, and we consider it as fine a Peony.

A Brand Division \$1.00 sider it as fine a Peony.

8.6 CHERRY HILL

Red. A very tall growing semi-double bright dark red that is early, and splendid as a landscape variety. The color is a deep garnet, with a sheen so rich that the variety is very noticeable among all other reds. For best effects this variety should not be disbudded. Awarded a silver medal by the Massachusetts Horticultural Society.

A Brand Division \$1.00

COMMANDER

An extra large, high built flower; very compact. A cone-shaped rose type Peony. Color a true self solferino red. Although late, it blooms consistently, which cannot be said of most late varieties. After every other red is gone you can still go out and bring in excellent flowers of this variety. A real acquisition to our reds.

A Brand Division \$3.00

8.4 DAVID HARUM

The flowers are very large with prominent guard petals surrounding a great ball of closely packed petals of the same shade. The entire flower is an even shade of soft Tyrian rose, without stamens. An upright growing plant with very strong stems that hold their great blooms erect. One of the very best landscape reds. This variety appeared in five prize-winning collections of the National Show hold at Des Moines in 1924 Show held at Des Moines in 1924. A Brand Division \$1.00

8.4 FELIX CROUSSE

Late. A deep rose red showing no stamens. Consists of a central bomb of incurved petals surrounded by broad, prominent guard petals. A good all-purpose red. A Brand Division \$1.00

8.8 KARL ROSENFIELD (Rosenfield)

A brilliant and striking variety, coming into bloom early midseason. Flowers very large, semi-rose type, and slightly fragrant. Desirable as a cut flower.

A Brand Division \$1.00

9.0 LONGFELLOW

Everyone concedes Longfellow one of the most popular red Peonies because of its distinct, fadeless color and general dependability, both for cutting and garden decoration. It is as striking in the field as in the show room. It comes into bloom early midseason. The plant has excellent foliage and strong, stiff stems. The flower is a bright crimson and is always found among the winning classes in the show room.

A Brand Division \$1.50

8.7 MARY BRAND

No red Peony ever won favor so quickly as Mary Brand. Always found among the winning reds in every show room. Comes into bloom with Frances Willard. Color so distinct, it is easily recognized by amateurs, no matter how often they see it in our fields. A rose type Peony showing stamens. A red in which there is little trace of purple. One of the most satisfactory reds as a cut flower as it will last a week if cut in the bud.

A Brand Division \$1.00

**SMALL ORDERS** 

If you order only one root, allow 25c for postage. But this amount will usually carry three fine divisions within the 5th zone. All orders for Peonies amounting to \$5.00 OR MORE will be sent PRE-

PAID in the United States.

8.8 MONS. MARTIN CAHUZAC

If you wish the darkest red Peony grown, order this one. Flowers medium to large, rose type, with stamens. Color a deep maroonred. One of the most earnestly sought Peonies

A Brand Division \$1.50

**OFFICINALIS RUBRA** 

This bright red variety comes into bloom a few days after Tenui-folia Flora Plena. As a rule, we find we can always cut a few flowers for our Decoration Day trade. This is a very old variety, but a very desirable one and should be in every Peony planting because of its earliness. A Brand Division \$1.00

9.2 PHILIPPE RIVOIRE

Very fine bright crimson. Beautiful form, splendid in plant growth; most fragrant of the reds. Late midseason. A fine show flower. No stamens. Most distinct in color of all the reds; not bright like Mary Brand or Longfellow, yet it shows an absence of the purple which is so objectionable to some. The extremely beautiful form and uniform soft color make a flower loved by all who see it. The true stock is very scarce; much spurious stock is on the market but ours is absolutely true. A Brand Division \$3.00

8.8 RICHARD CARVEL

An early crimson parallel to the pink Mons. Jules Elie. With its extra early blooming qualities, large size, and splendid habits, this variety is already a well-established favorite. A single plant on the variety is already a well-established favorite. A single plant on lawn is attractive and delightful, beautiful and lasting. A valuable cut flower. The best of all early dark reds. Unlike most reds, the odor is pleasant and pronounced, a very rare quality in the reds.

A Brand Division \$1.00

8.3 WINNIFRED DOMME

Scarlet-red. No matter how many good reds you have, you will still want Winnifred Domme. Unlike most reds, it has practically no purple; the nearest scarlet of all Peonies. The plant is dwarfish, but stems are strong and erect, each producing a single bloom.

A most excellent red to use as a border plant.

A Brand Division \$1.00



#### TENUIFOLIA FLORA PLENA

The Fern-Leaf Peony

The earliest double to bloom. In bloom with us around May 20th. Very brilliant crimson. Finely cut foliage, so much like that of the Cosmos. Every season we receive numerous requests for the name of this flower. Tenuifolia should always be carefully mulched the first winter after planting. Very scarce. Few growers are able to list it.

A Brand Division \$3.00



## PURE WHITES & WHITES FLECKED CRIMSON



Mrs. Frank Beach

8.8 ALSACE-LORRAINE

(Lomoi:

A late midseason. Creamy white. A dainty and refined flower of beautiful form. Color, a rich creamy white with a suggestion of brownish yellow at the base of the petals similar to Solange. When well grown this is one of the most beautiful and refined of all Peonies.

A Brand Division \$1.00

8.1 DUCHESSE DE NEMOURS

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A very early, fragrant, pure creamy white. The guard petals are white with a full center of light canary yellow, deepening to pale green at the base.

A Brand Division \$1.00

8.9 ENCHANTRESS

Lemoi

A charming very late white. An excellent show flower. Prolong your blooming season by adding this excellent variety to your list. We understand that this is not a good flower for the South, as it is very late and does not open well, but the farther north it is grown, the better it becomes. As grown with us, it is rated far too low. It is surely entitled to a rating of 9.2. A splendid pure white.

A Brand Division \$1.00

Frances Willard is a very fine white which we believe gives universal satisfaction. It opens an exquisite blush white, occasionally with a carmine touch, changing pure white. Usually found in the winning classes in every show room. Midseason, comes into bloom with Mary Brand. (A gorgeous Peony named for a great woman).

A Brand Division \$1.50

8.7 JAMES KELWAY

(Kelway)

This variety received a rating of 8.7 when the last symposium was taken, after 49 people had voted. This fact, alone, places it among the good varieties. The flower is very large, loose and semi-rose in type. It opens a rose-white changing to milk-white with base of the petals tinged yellow. The fragrance is strong and pleasing.

A Brand Division \$1.00

One of our new Peonies that we offered for sale last fall for the first time. We have four roots for our spring trade and when these are sold this variety will not be offered again for two years. It comes into bloom in late midseason. The flowers are of medium size, beautifully formed, and a rose type. The petals are broad and cupped as they circle about the heart of the flower. The fragrance is delicate but pronounced. Named for a noble woman.

A Brand Division \$10.00

#### 8.9 JUBILEE

(Pleas)

Very large, flat, ivory-white flowers. Petals long, narrow and loosely arranged, producing a very attractive feathery effect. Everyone familiar with Peonies knows that Jubilee is a fine flower. Its only defect is a weak stem, yet one can well afford to support such a beautiful flower.

A Brand Division \$1.00

#### 9.8 KELWAY'S GLORIOUS

(Kelway

Midseason. Although not as symmetrical as Le Cygne, we believe this wonderful variety is fully as good and deserves as high a rating. Immense blooms with very long petals, so arranged that the entire bloom resembles a great downy ball of the most exquisite, delicate, snow white lace. For a Peony of great size, probably no other can exhibit such perfection of beauty.

A Brand Division \$3.00

#### 8.6 LA LORRAINE

Lemoine

Midseason. A large flower, nicely rounded, with great broad petals beautifully arranged. Color a soft even shade of creamy pink. In our opinion, this flower is not fully appreciated, for it is one of the choicest of all Peonies and should rate well above 9.0. From our first observation of the flower, this has been our constant impression. When shown together with magnificent blooms of Le Cygne, Kelway's Glorious, Therese and Mme. Jules Dessert, we have seen blooms of La Lorraine which showed up equally beautiful; and we think it is just as good a flower as any of them.

A Brand Division \$2.00

#### 8.3 LA ROSIERE

(Crousse)

Large flowers in clusters; straw-yellow at the center, shading to a creamy white border—this is indeed a striking variety. Pleasing fragrance. The flower is loose, showing a band of yellow stamens which light up the flower with a yellowish cast.

A Brand Division \$1.00

#### 9.9 LE CYGNE

(Lemoine)

A flower of true rose type, perfect in form. Creamy white with no tracings of color. Strong, medium height stems; each one produces a perfect bloom. Flowers large and delightfully fragrant. Le Cygne is the highest rated Peony and fully deserves its rating. Early midseason.

A Brand Division \$3.00

#### 8.7 LORCH

(Goos & Koenemann)

Outer petals very large, pure snow white, incurving over a pale lemon and cream center, with pale crimson tracings on edge of center petals. A plant of good habit; large, nicely shaped flowers, held well up. Blooms not only of splendid color but also of beautiful form. One of the very best of the G. & K. varieties; indeed a beautiful Peony.

A Brand Division \$2.00

#### 8.3 MARIE JACQUIN

(Verdier

A midseason flower with purest white guards; then a collar of yellow stamens surrounding a row of shorter pure white petals, then a tuft of yellow stamens, giving the flower a pronounced Waterlily effect. One of the most dainty Peonies in the list. The stems are erect, a clean, light green, as is also the foliage. The flower is semi-double, held perfectly erect, and on young plants it often comes a beautiful single.

A Brand Division \$1.00

#### MISS SALWAY

(Kelway)

This variety opens a delicate flesh-pink with a creamy white collar of smaller petals irregularly notched, which gives the bloom a dainty, lacy appearance. It has a sweet fragrance and is in every way a most desirable flower.

A Brand Division \$2.00

#### 9.6 MRS. A. M. BRAND

(A. M. Brand

Pure white. When this flower was a two-year-old, we were first attracted by its large, uniform, remarkable white blooms; the clean, thrifty, light green stocks; the luxuriant foliage. Blooms cut in the bud and taken inside develop in remarkable form. Opens a pure, glistening white; pure rose type; a large, flat flower with prominent guards and petals of wonderful substance. Received the Gold Medal of the American Peony Society, St. Paul, 1923. Very late.

A Brand Division \$4.00

#### 9.3 MRS. EDWARD HARDING

(Shaylor

A midseason, free-flowering white of perfect form and delicate, lacy quality. The plant is of medium height, with stiff stems and excellent foliage.

A Brand Division \$2.00



#### WHITE PEONIES—Continued

9.0 MRS. FRANK BEACH

(A. M. Brand) Ivory-white. A very large, flat, perfect rose type flower with long, narrow, laciniated petals of the same lacy effect as in Jubilee. Blooms equally large as Jubilee but borne finely erect on rather dwarfish plants with very strong stems. Much as we admire Jubilee, it is handicapped by a weak stem. Mrs. Frank Beach is a glorified Deep cream. It fades but little even when developed in the field. Like Le Cygne, this variety develops a flower true to type even on a yearling. Blooms profusely as a two-year-old. Received an Award of Merit, American Peony Society, London, Ontario,

9.1 MRS. HARRIET GENTRY (A. M. Brand) A very late perfect rose type variety. Petals are very large, of the purest glistening white. Deep in the center of the flower you will find a touch of that peculiar pinkish tint for which Solange is famous. This is one of our latest white Peonies to bloom and is one of the most refined flowers in this list. A Brand Division \$4.00

1922. Late midseason. Sweetly fragrant. A Brand Division \$3.00

9.0 NINA SECOR Flowers medium to large. Tall, graceful, light green stems. Rather narrow, clean, light green foliage. Bloom absolutely pure white, of true rose type. Built high with a cupped rosebud center. fragrant. One of the very best pure whites. Much like Kelway's A Brand Division \$1.00 Glorious.

8.8 NYMPHAEA Large flat flowers with wide, silky petals of delicate creamy white, notched at tips, edges somewhat rolled; yellow stamens in center reflect a golden light throughout. Fragrant. Early midseason. Remindful of a Waterlily only much larger and more beautiful than any Waterlily we have ever seen. Very refined; a real addition to our growing list of good Peonies. More semi-double than rose type. A Brand Division \$1.50

White. Very large, of true rose type. Great blooms of the most perfect form resemble large balls of snow. The dwarf plants with strong stems hold the great white blooms erect. Very sturdy, even growth. Planted in rows, they present a remarkable sight when in bloom. So profuse, the blooms cover the whole plant with a solid mass of white. Usually pure white, yet occasionally a faint trace of red shows on an inner petal. Globular in form; great broad snow white petals of great substance. This variety resembles Le

9.7 SOLANGE (Lemoine) This is a variety that is hard to classify. It might be classed with the light pinks, but it is neither a white nor a pink, but a suffusion of buff and pale salmon pink. A late variety with tight buds that sometimes fail to open. When well grown this variety has perfect form and unusual coloring. Always a favorite the year when it A Brand Division \$2.00 comes good.

A pure white of very fine form and large size. Plant tall, luxuriant dark green foliage. Individual blooms very large; petals very long and narrow, form a great compact dome-shaped flower with large guards drooping gracefully away from the balance of the flower. Pure white, tinted heavily cream, with green showing at base of A Brand Division \$3.00

#### YELLOW **PEONIES**

All yellow varieties should be cut in the bud and developed inside to bring out the best color effect.

7.7 FANNY CROSBY An early yellow Peony with pink guard petals that is growing in favor more each year as it becomes better known. The plant is strong, thrifty, and very floriferous. The side buds come into bloom with the main flower and if left on the plant they make a wonderful showing. A Brand Division \$1.50

8.8 LAURA DESSERT The flower is round, of rose type. Guard petals creamy white, enclosing a domelike center of pure canary yellow. Like Fanny Crosby, the plant is an upright grower, holding blossoms erect for good landscape value. Like all yellows, it must be developed in side away from the sun to preserve its color. Early midseason. A Brand Division \$3.00

8.6 PRIMEVERE (Lemoine) A fine yellow Peony. Guard petals creamy white, enclosing a central ball of sulphur yellow. If cut in the bud, as it begins to open, so the flowers may develop away from the sun, it will hold a clear A Brand Division \$1.50 yellow color; very beautiful.





## PINK PEONIES ~ All Shades, Light, Medium and Deep

A. G. PERRY

New. Early midseason. Plant of fine upright habit, medium height, with nice clean stems and foliage. Petals of splendid substance and rich in appearance. Color a rich old ivory, tinted delicate rosy pink, with zones of deeper pink radiating from the center of the flower to the edge of the petals. General color effect flesh-pink fading to white in the field. Splendid both as a show and a landscape flower. This is one of our newest Peonies. Very few people have it. We think it one of our very best. It is a Peony that the most exacting will like to add to their collections.

A Brand Division \$5.00

7.6 EDULIS SUPERBA

This is the first good early deep pink. It sometimes opens for Decoration Day with us in Minnesota. The flowers are large, borne profusely on tall, strong stems. A loose, crown type flower, of a beautiful deep pink. One of the greatest of all cut flowers in its color and season. This flower deserves a much higher rating and should be planted because of its earliness and general good qualities.

A Brand Division \$1.00

Although not so deep a pink as Blanche King, Ella Christiansen is so distinct from the delicate pinks in coloring as to be a real acquisition. The flower is exceedingly large, both on the plant in the field and when handled as a cut flower. As a bloomer, it is probably the most profuse of this exclusive list. Petals are long, narrow, and heavily serrated on the edges. The flower first opens cup-shaped, then flat. Irresistibly appealing—Ella Christiansen receives the unbounded praise of every visitor. We like it better every year.

A Brand Division \$3.00 \$5.0

A midseason semi-double variety; beautiful on matured plants.

Outer petals are a light pink. Center petals are a flesh white with a circle of golden stamens around the center tuft. A good show flower.

A Brand Division \$2.00

9.2 FLORENCE MacBETH

An immense rose type flower of a soft La France pink. The petals are broad, of much substance, and have a crinkled effect that is very distinct and beautiful. The plant is a strong, vigorous grower with strong stems. A very fine pink.

A Brand Division \$3.00

8.9 GEORGIANA SHAYLOR

A large, late midseason light rose-pink. Fragrance pleasing; plant medium height; floriferous; good stems and foliage. If Mr. Shaylor had never produced another Peony, this one alone would immortalize his name among Peony lovers. Exceptionally fine for garden decoration and cutting and also a great exhibition flower.

A Brand Division \$1.50

8.8 GRANDIFLORA

(Richardson)

A soft shell-pink, shading to white with faint shadings of rose.

When one thinks the Peony season ended, he can still go out and cut fine blooms of Grandiflora. For this reason Grandiflora should be in every garden.

A Brand Division \$1.00

9.0 HAZEL KINNEY

(A. M. Brand)

I can still remember this beautiful flower as it appeared on the plant the first time. The form was so superb and the color so pure; it impressed us at once as a flower of great promise, which it since has proved. A great show flower when displayed alongside the very best. True rose type. Color a delicate clear hydrangea pink. Medium height plant; clean, light green foliage; late midseason; a prolific bloomer.

A Brand Division \$2.00

9.2 JEANNOT

A large, high built, round flower of rose type with a cupped center.

A delicate lavender pink, with salmon pink shadings at the base of the petals.

A Brand Division \$2.00

8.6 JUDGE BERRY

This is a fine delicate pink coming into bloom with that very early deep pink, Edulis Superba. Its attractive, large flat flowers are of excellent color and texture. Coming at the beginning of the Peony season, when most varieties are of small or medium size, this immense flower has a peculiar distinction, and will be wanted by every Peony buyer who wishes a really good early light pink.

We think June Day is one of the very best of Mr. Franklin's introductions. A flower of striking beauty, light flesh with lavender shadings on the edge of the central petals. Pleasing fragrance, upright grower with dark green foliage. At the 1935 Boston National Show, June Day was one of the outstanding flowers of the entire show.

A Brand Division \$2.00

8.8 KELWAY'S QUEEN

This is a distinct Peony, both in flower and plant. At one time the stocks of this variety were badly mixed, but when the true variety is once seen, there can be no mistake. It is a large, compact, rose type flower of uniform mauve, with center flecked crimson. A tall strong grower, and a very profuse bloomer. Late midseason.

A Brand Division \$2.00

9.1 LADY ALEXANDRA DUFF

An immense, loosely built flower with great broad rounded petals. A pale blush-pink, fading to white, with yellow stamens. When not disbudded, the central flower is loosely double, of a rather flattened, circular form; central petals touched with carmine. A beautifully formed flower; sweet scented. Very floriferous. Very showy. Opening after the central flower, the side flowers come semi-double, saucer-shaped, showing stamens.

A Brand Division \$1.00

A scarce variety, seldom seen in any garden. Plants tall with but few stalks to the plant. Long, narrow, sharply pointed foliage. Flowers very large, loosely built, with long narrow petals sharply notched at the edges. Guards mauve-rose. Collar creamy white. A beautiful mottling of different shades of pink. Strikingly beautiful, both in the field and show room. A Brand Division \$2.00

This is a light pink silver-tipped variety, with golden anthers prominently showing throughout the flower. The central petals are a darker pink. The bloom is very large, often 7 to 8 inches in diameter on established plants. It is an extremely free bloomer.

A Brand Division \$1.50

9.0 LA FRANCE

Very large, true rose type. A uniform apple blossom pink with crimson splashes on the guards. This flower during those years when it is at its best is one of the most outstanding of all Peonies.

A Brand Division \$2.00

8.8 LILLIAN GUMM

Late midseason. A new flower of outstanding qualities, good enough to be repeatedly singled out from hundreds of varieties in the field. Very large, globular in form, rose type, with great broad petals, and a cupped center. Color uniform apple-blossom-pink with more brilliant shadings at the base of the petals. A Brand Division \$2.00

8.8 LOVELINESS

Very late. Produces very large, flat Hydrangea pink flowers; blooms of wonderful beauty. It is Hollis' best Peony. Plants tall with heavy foliage and stems strong enough to hold the immense blooms erect. The flowers, a uniform shade of pink, make wonderful show flowers.

A Brand Division \$1.00

Very large, semi-double, pinkish white. Foliage, large and clean; stems long and stout. Immense blooms are produced in great profusion. Petals are long, broad, of great substance; a pure Hydrangea-pink interspersed with golden stamens and some splashes of red. Blooms early.

A Brand Division \$1.00

A beautiful silvery pink, among the latest of Dessert's originations. Petals imbricated and slightly touched with carmine. A splendid late variety. A new Peony from France carrying that peculiar charm always to be found in the Dessert selections.

A Brand Division \$1.50

Very tall, very large, late. One of the greatest of all Peonies. We must judge Peonies not alone by individual taste but by performance over a long period. The great Peonies receive the awards at the large shows. The Northwest Peony Show is staged alternate years in St. Paul and Minneapolis. Outside of the National Show, it is the largest Peony Show in America, taken year after year. Here Peonies of all varieties are shown at their best by expert showmen. The class that brings out the best flowers is the class that calls for ten vases, one each of ten varieties, three blooms to a vase. Into this class go the ten best vases of each exhibitor. Martha Bulloch is almost invariably in the exhibit that wins first. Bright old-rose-pink; center of lighter rose, and pink. Roselike fragrance. Tall, straight stems. Immense blooms. The most beautiful Peony of its size.

A Brand Division \$2.00

A Brand Division \$1.00



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All good standard varieties

All strong three- to five-eye divisions

All labeled true-to-name

**Your** selection of colors, but **our** selection of varieties. Tell us whot colors you prefer ond we ore sure our selection will give you pleosure.

Why Special Prices

Each year when we write our spring catalog, we find we have in storage many good Peonies in too small lots to list and describe in our catalog, or to re-plant in our large fields. It is therefore economy for us to dispose of them at reduced prices.

We reolize that many of our customers, while they like good Peonies, have no special preference as to varieties. If you fall into this class, you will benefit by taking advantage of the following offers.





3 Varieties, Our Selection, for \$1.75, Postpaid 6 Varieties, Our Selection, for 3.25, Postpaid 10 Varieties, Our Selection, for 5.25, Postpaid

NOTE: If you prefer all of one color, or a certain combination of colors, we shall be glad to fill your order as you wish it, as long as our stock holds out.

#### PINK PEONIES—Continued

9.0 MILTON HILL (Richardson) very beautiful flower of a delicate shade of salmon pink, resembling Walter Faxon. Seen in the show room in first class form, this

variety is impossible to beat in its color. It received a rating of 9.0 with sixty-three voting. This is absolutely one of the finest of all A Brand Division \$1.50

9.4 MME. JULES DESSERT

(Dessert)

(A. M. Brand)

One of the finest of all Peonies-flowers very large, well formed, with long broad petals. Blooms held rigidly erect on good straight stems of medium height. Color a creamy white, lighted with buff and salmon shades. A few golden stamens appear to beautify an already beautiful flower. Always among the main prize winners at A Brand Division \$1.50 the great shows.

MRS. DEANE FUNK

Too new to be rated. Large and peculiarly beautiful in formation. The broad guards and half of the petals turn outward, gracefully downward, then up. Next is a distinct band of golden stamens as in Phyllis Kelway. Lighting up the entire flower, these stamens enclose a rosebud, cup-shaped center of large incurving petals. Color a Walter Faxon pink. Magnificent in the show room. One of the finest of all Peonies for use in decorative work such as the relation was a flower to the state of the state making up of large vases, etc. A Brand Division \$2.00

9.0 MRS. JOHN M. KLEITSCH (A. M. Brand) A tall, late pink with exceedingly strong heavy stems and large deep green foliage. Color violet rose with a distinct lavender cast. Petals long, broad, pointed and of great substance. A very late fragrant flower of true rose type. First prize as best flower in entire show at St. Paul, 1928. A Brand Division \$3.00

9.1 MRS. ROMAINE B. WARE MRS. ROMAINE B. WARE

This variety was selected from the seed bed because of its striking beauty of form. True rosebud effect in the center, the petals radiate ing in peculiar fashion to give a pleasing effect to the entire bloom. Returning from the National Show at Boston, I stopped with my good friend Harry F. Little. Mrs. Romaine B. Ware was in full bloom. Of this wonderful flower Mr. Little said, "I think this one of the daintiest of all Peonies in its perfect beauty." Exquisitely delicate; medium size; rose type. Medium height plant; profuse bloomer; midseason. Fragrant. A Brand Division \$2.00

9.1 MYRTLE GENTRY I plant of splendid growth and clean appearance holds the beautiful great flower erect and well above the foliage. Immense flowers of perfect rose form with great broad, nicely rounded petals of wonderful substance. Color, beautiful pink with tints of flesh and salmon. While all of these new Peonies have a pleasing odor, this one is the sweetest; the fragrance of a Tea Rose. Awarded Silver Medal at St. Paul Show in 1923.

A Brand Division \$3.00

8.9 NANCY DOLMAN A tall, late, pale rose-pink, of conical form and great size. A new flower that we have tried out over a sufficient time to be safe in pronouncing it a real good flower. A Brand Division \$3.00

8.8 PHYLLIS KELWAY Very large, loosely built, of the most exquisite beauty. Color deep lavender flesh with long rays of lighter lavender playing the length of the petals through the deeper colors. A row of broad petals surrounds a loosely built cup-shaped center of long narrow petals intermingled with conspicuous yellow stamens. Long, stiff stems hold blossoms erect—a gorgeous beauty in the rays of sunlight one of the most brilliant and striking Peonies in the list. A Brand Division \$2.00

8.8 PHOEBE CARY Although this variety was introduced thirty years ago, we have not

been able to multiply our stock rapidly enough to list it every year. The color is a rose-pink with center slightly deeper in shade. The plant is tall, in season with the late white, Marie Lemoine. A pleasing fragrance. A Brand Division \$1.50

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE (A. M. Brand) Too new to be rated. Pink. Large, beautiful flowers; a rather uniform lavender-pink. Irregular petals in unique irregular formation. The prominent guards stand out from the rest of the flower; very attractive from a distance. The entire flower is climaxed by a striking rosebud effect. Blooms carried well above the foliage on strong stems. A late Peony, remarkable both as a show flower and land-scape variety.

A Brand Division \$3.00 9.3 PRESIDENT WILSON

(Thurlow)

A very large, late, bright rose-pink, fading to a lighter pink. The flower has a rich, spicy fragrance. The plant is of medium height, strong stems, good foliage. Awarded Certificate of Honorable Mention at London, Ontario, Show.

A Brand Division \$3.00

8.7 REINE HORTENSE A show flower usually found in the winning classes. Sometimes sold under the name of President Taft. Tall growing, it produces

lots of large perfectly formed flowers on long, stiff stems. uniform hydrangea pink, minutely splashed on a white background; also prominently flecked with crimson. A Brand Division \$1.00

9.0 SARAH BERNHARDT

Another variety that prevails in the show room. So well known, it seems unnecessary to say that it should be in every garden. Semirose type. Late midseason. Color, apple-blossom-pink with each petal silver tipped. Agreeable fragrance. A Brand Division \$1.00

9.1 SOUVENIR DE LOUIS BIGOT Salmon pink. Color a brilliant rose, slightly tinted carmine at the base, turning to a salmon pink. Resembles Walter Faxon in color but stands up much better in the field. A Brand Division \$2.00

8.4 STRASSBURG (Goos & Koenemann)

Very large bloom; exquisite form. Flowers very large, loosely built, semi-rose. Petals very large, broad, delicate lilac-rose. This German firm has sent out many beautiful Peonies, all distinct, but in their entire list this is one of the best. Stock of this variety is very scarce. A Brand Division \$2.00

9.8 THERESE

Very large; somewhat loosely built; long, narrow pointed petals. Plant of medium height with strong stems. Usually produces large typical flowers, even on 1-year plants, if they are allowed to bloom. Early midseason pink, fading toward the center, and illumined by a golden yellow glow in the depths. A supreme flower for exhibition purposes. A Brand Division \$1.25

9.4 TOURANGELLE

Pink. Rose type; late midseason; a vigorous grower, bearing large high-built flowers with cupped centers. Color delicate pearly white, suffused with shades of delicate salmon and La France rose. Has a weak stem but the coloring is unusual and superb.

A Brand Division \$1.00

VICTORY CHATEAU THIERRY

A very large flower with immense, broad, evenly arranged, rounded petals of great substance; petals remindful of those on Lady Alexandra Duff. A clear bright pink, gradually fading to a lighter pink. This variety is the earliest of all of these new Peonies; and, like Richard Carvel and Judge Berry, is seldom seen in the show room. The plant is of medium height with very strong stems that hold the large, cup-shaped blossoms well erect. We consider this variety one of the very best in this list of new ones. When Victory begins to open, you will make many trips to your garden each day to watch this gorgeous flower as it unfolds its clear, pink, broad petals. This is one out of two Peonies that received a rating of 100, Alice Harding being the other. Some few low votes in the last symposium pulled the rating down to 8.9, but we really believe this Peony will finally rate as high or higher than Theresc. A Brand Division \$3.00

WALTER FAXON

A remarkable flower, at its best in the show room. Cut in the bud, held in a dark cool room for a day or two, then brought into the light, it develops as a flower of wonderful coloring and exquisite beauty. Color the most vivid of all pinks, the only "real pink" as someone has said. To anyone acquainted with its color, a mere glance over the show room will disclose every vase of this beautiful flower. Flowers medium size, attractive in form. In the fields it does not hold up as well as Souv. de Louis Bigot, to which it is similar in color. Unique for show purposes or home decoration.

A Brand Division \$2.00

#### SUBSTITUTIONS

Sometimes an order reaches us lote in the seoson after aur stock of some vorieties is exhousted. If you send in on order and you are not particular about receiving just the varieties in your list, give us permission to substitute o voriety of the same color of equal or better value. As a rule our stock is sufficient to fill our orders just os they ore given.

## Enjoy a Long Blooming Season

### By Planting These 15 Varieties—All Select Varieties—Each a Brand Division

Beautiful Flowers from the Very Earliest to the Very Latest

### Super-Early Collection All Red

Blooming very early, in continuous succession . . . these three varieties give you two whole weeks of Peony beauty ahead of all the others!

If Purchased Separately a Total Value of \$6.00. Collection Price, For All Three

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### Early Collection

If you wish four excellent Peonies to brighten your garden early in the season, we suggest:

Regular Price \$4.00 Collection Price

### Midseason Collection

1 Dark Pink, 1 Light Pink, 2 Red.

Regular Price \$5.00 Collection Price

\$4.25

### Late Flowering Collection

1 Red, 1 White, 1 Medium Deep Pink, 1 Light Pink.

Regular Price \$4.00 Collection Price

TENUIFOLIA SIMPLEX. This is the single form of the Fern Leaf Peony. The flower is a brilliant single red consisting of one row of petals surrounding a bright center of yellow stamens. The foliage is very finely cut and the plant after blooming is attractive all through the summer. This variety, the single, is very hardy, and will stand up through the winter in very trying locations where the double form might not. In full bloom here between May 15th.

TENUIFOLIA FLORA PLENA. Next earliest to bloom. A double. Very brilliant crimson. Finely cut foliage, so much like that of the Cosmos. Every season we receive numerous requests for the name of this flower. Tenuifolia should always be carefully mulched the first winter after planting. Plant as early in the fall as practicable. Very scarce. We have but a small stock to spare this spring. This variety was in full bloom here in our fields on May 20th.

OFFICINALIS RUBRA. That large brilliant red Peony so often seen as a favorite in old gardens. In latitude of southern Minnesota it generally blooms by Decoration Day. It does not begin to pass out until just before the main crop of other Peonies appears. Officinalis Rubra is always in bloom here June 1st or before.

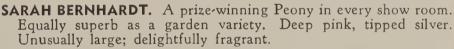
RICHARD CARVEL. The best early red on the market. Wonderfully fragrant. Strong, upright grower. Very free bloomer.

MONS. JULES ELIE. One of the world's 26 best Peonies. Fragrant. A wonderful lilac-pink.

DUCHESS de NEMOURS. A pure creamy white and a most excellent

**EDULIS SUPERBA.** A deeper pink than Mons. Jules Elie, known as the Decoration Day pink. Noted for its wonderful fragrance.

All four varieties will be in bloom at the same time, but Richard Carvel will appear first.



GEORGIANA SHAYLOR. Light pink. We have always held that this is Mr. Shaylor's greatest flower. If he had never produced another variety, this one alone would immortalize his name among Peony lovers.

MARY BRAND. No red Peony ever won favor so quickly. Always found among the winning reds in every show room. Color so distinct, it is easily recognized.

LONGFELLOW. A brighter red than Mary Brand. A flaming crimson of beautiful form, and the second highest rated red.

FELIX CROUSSE. A deep rose red showing no stamens. Consists of a central bomb of incurved petals, surrounded by broad, promi-

nent guard petals. A good all purpose red. **ENCHANTRESS.** A wonderful white that is good both in the field

LOVELINESS. Very late. Produces very large, flat hydrangea pink flowers; blooms of wonderful beauty. It is Hollis' best Peony. Plants tall, with heavy foliage and stems strong enough to hold the immense blooms erect. The flowers, a uniform shade of pink, make wonderful show flowers.

TOURANGELLE. A light pink with as fine coloring as you can find in any Peony.



Tenuifolia Simplex



Edulis Superba



Georgiana Shaylor



Tourangelle

### These 4 Collections

will give the longest possible blooming season of this flower and a whole season of Peony pleasure.
OUR EXTRA SPECIAL PRICE FOR

EXTRA SELECT STOCK





Krinkled White

EDITH WEST White. This variety resembles Albiflora. It comes into bloom after

Albiflora has gone. The flower is not quite as large, but the petals have more substance and the plant habit of Albiflora. A fine landscape variety.

A Brand Division \$1.50 have more substance and the plant does not have the sprawling

FLANDERS FIELDS

Red. A few years ago in one of our seedling beds of many varieties, we noticed a most conspicuous red. Even from 20 rods' distance, this brilliant color stood out from all the others. Every year, in every way, it has proven a splendid flower. A single of the most brilliant red. Two rows of petals surround a large prominent center of golden stamens. Petals of great substance stand out flat; rich and velvety in appearance. A Brand Division \$4.00

8.7 HARRIET OLNEY

This variety is one of the very earliest of our singles to give color to our fields. It opens a deep rose but gradually changes to a soft rose pink. The plant is medium tall with straight stiff stems which hold the flower well erect. A very fine landscape variety.

A Brand Division \$1.00

A Brand Division \$3.00

KRINKLED WHITE White. First noticeable in the bud which resembles the bud of a pale pink Tulip just ready to burst. The bud is comparatively small and beautiful in effect. As it opens, it expands into a large flower with great broad, pure white petals, like crinkled crepe paper. Stems tall, straight, slender but strong; clean light green. Award of Merit,

LACINIATA

Des Moines National Show.

Bright scarlet. If you wish a Peony that will give you bloom about two weeks earlier than Officinalis Rubra, you must have this variety. It comes with bloom a few days earlier than the finely cut-foliaged Peony, Tenuifolia, but is distinctly different from the Chinensis varieties. It is not so hard to propagate as Tenuifolia, and we feel that it is just as satisfactory. It is of no value as a cut flower but it brings color to the flower garden very early in the season.

A Brand Division \$2.00

MAN O' WAR

This is our finest new single. When the variety becomes well known, we believe it will stand at the top of all red singles. It is an exceedingly bright red with a great deal of scarlet in its color. The guard petals enclose a very large center of intensely rich yellow stamens. The stems are strong and erect. When the plant is well established, each stem carries a large flower. The plant is so covered with these large blooms that the foliage is hardy visible. A Brand Division \$10.00

## SINGLE PEONIES

It is not long since there was no demand for either single or Japanese Peonies. The double varieties only were in demand. However, in recent years, flower lovers have come to see that the more delicate single and Japanese varieties have an artistic value of their own. If varieties have been selected for substance in the bloom, as are those we offer, these types are wonderfully decorative both in the garden and as cut flowers. Another important reason for adding some to your collection is that they come earlier than the double sorts and so prolong the period of bloom.

MELLEN KNIGHT

Red. Tall, straight growing; strong enough to hold the flowers well up. Petals long, narrow, and evenly rounded on the edges, giving a beautiful effect both at close examination and from a distance. Color a bright rich crimson. Extra good. A Brand Division \$1.00

8.9 PRIDE OF LANGPORT Pink. An immense flower of brilliant, soft peach-pink. Wonderfully beautiful; retains its color in the sun almost a week after it opens; the finest light single.

A Brand Division \$3.00

TENUIFOLIA SIMPLEX

This is the single form of the Fern Leaf Peony. The flower is a brilliant single red consisting of one row of petals surrounding a bright center of yellow stamens. The foliage is very finely cut and the plant after blooming is attractive all through the summer. variety, the single, is very hardy, and will stand up through the winter in trying locations where the double form might not.

A Brand Division \$2.00 (Goos & Koenemann)

Not yet rated. White. Large, snow-white guard petals. Center flesh with a mass of golden stamens. Resembles Albiflora, the Bride, but comes into bloom much later. A Brand Division \$2.00

## ANOTHER Clean-Up Offer

If we have Peonies left in storage at the end of the fall season we can hold them for our spring sales. But we prefer to dispose of our surplus at reduced prices in the spring rather than plant stock back into our fields. Hence the following offer.

Mellen Knight. A bright crimson .....\$1.00 Harriet Olney. A rose-pink ...... 1.00 Watteau. A snow-white ..... 2.00

Postpaid



Man o' War



## AND JAPANESE PEONIES

There is some confusion in the minds of many as to the precise characteristics of these two types. The single Peony consists of one or two rows of guard petals enclosing a tuft of yellow stamens. The Japanese Peony also has one or two rows of guard petals but these enclose a tufted center composed of narrow petals or of petaloids of various colors. These are often edged by remnants of anthers.

8.1 AKALU

A very large midseason rose red which we have always considered one of our finest Japanese varieties. The guard petals are spoon shape, enclosing a center composed of long staminodes with yellow filaments and long narrow blades of rose-red tipped and edged with buff; carpels pale green with waxy white tips. Very vigorous A Brand Division \$2.00 and floriferous.

AKASHIGATA (Japan)

Bright rose. A new Japanese variety not yet rated. After growing it for several years, we consider it very satisfactory. Guard petals a bright rose, surrounding a heavy center of filamental petals of A Brand Division \$1.50 bright pink bordered with gold.

A midseason light pink, darker at the edges and in the middle of the petals, paling to white at base; center of greenish yellow carpels. Of medium height, strong stems, and good foliage.

A Brand Division \$1.00

8.0 ALTAR CANDLES

Flesh-pink. Very nicely shaped; an evenly formed row of delicately colored flesh-pink petals, surrounding a center of completely transformed narrow filamental petals which topen cream-white. Very floriferous; one of the most dependable Japanese Peonies.

A Brand Division \$1.00

9.2 AMA-NO-SODE (Japan)

One of the very best of the pink Japanese varieties. A single row of long, evenly rounded, cup-shaped petals enclose a globular center of half-transformed staminodes, yellow at the base, edged gold and faced with pink. Carpels light green, tipped pink. The plant has heavy rich green foliage.

A Brand Division \$5.00

8.9 AUREOLIN

A single row of broad guard petals surrounds a center of fully transformed petaloids of deep sulphur-yellow. This variety holds its color well in the sun and if you are looking for a good yellow Japanese Peony you will be pleased with Aureolin.

A Brand Division \$2.00

8.5 FLAMBOYANT (Japan)
Violet-crimson. Large. Very evenly shaped petals. Color, just a trifle lighter shade than King of England. Center filled with partially transformed staminodes, light yellow edged with gold and red. Also known as Kameno Kerogoma. A Brand Division \$1.50

9.2 FUYAJO (Japan)

The highest rated dark Japanese Peony. Rich, dark, mahogany-red petals surround a full center of broad petaloids of the same dark rich color as the outer petals. A Brand Division \$2.00

9.3 ISANI GIDUI

Origin unknown. A very large midseason white. Two rows of very broad rounded smooth guard petals enclose a center of rich buff yellow staminodes; carpels green, tipped pale yellow. Medium tall; vigorous; free flowering. A beautiful white Japanese variety. A Brand Division \$5.00

8.6 KING OF ENGLAND Red. A rich uniform shade of deep red. Large, uniformly rounded petals of great substance. Center a large tuft of long, self-colored petaloids, prominently edged with gold. A Brand Division \$1.50

8.6 MIKADO (Japan)

A tall midseason variety of medium size. The cupped petals are of a deep rich crimson. The center is composed of thick staminodes stained dark rose-red, edged throughout their length and tipped buff-yellow; carpels pale green. A very tall floriferous variety with erect stems. Exceedingly brilliant. Excellent for garden decoration. A Brand Division \$1.50



Toro-No-Moki, White

PRAIRIE AFIRE

A beautiful new Japanese, first offered by us in 1932. A vase of Prairie Afire exhibited by us at the Des Moines Show was the sensation of the show. We offered it that year and sold every root we could spare of it at \$15.00 per root. This fall we are again offering it and will price it at \$5.00 for a nice root. Prairie Afire is a new and entirely distinct break in color in Japanese Peonies. The guards are broad and a soft creamy rose with good substance. These surround a great ball of brilliantly fiery red staminoides. The flower should be cut in the bud and developed inside when the result is simply marvelous. simply marvelous.

A Brand Division \$5.00

8.7 RASHOOMON (Japan)

One of the best of the Japanese varieties for landscape planting, because of the clean beautiful appearance of the plant itself. Large blossoms. Color a deep rose-red. Center prominent cream-yellow. A Brand Division \$2.00

9.0 SOME GANOKO

(Origin unknown)

A large midseason variety with cupped guard petals of clear dark crimson. The light buff staminodes are tinted with rose-red markings; carpels a pale yellow with a white line at the base. A very A Brand Division \$2.00 fragrant variety.

9.4 TAMAT-BOKO

Highest rated Japanese Peony. A very late bright carmine-pink with an attractive center of partially transformed staminodes, yellow at the base, shading lighter, and light pink at the ends, irregularly crinkled and margined gold. The whole flower has much substance and is borne erect on stems of medium height.

A Brand Division \$10.00

**8.9 TOKIO** 

Large to very large. Midseason. Cupped, waving guard petals of rose pink; center composed of large, loose staminodes, narrow at the base with wide tips tinted pale yellow and stained pink on the upper half, with buff edges. Very tall. Dark, broad foliage. A Brand Division \$3.00 A strong and vigorous grower.

9.0 TORO-NO-MAKI (Japan)

One of the finest of all the white Japanese Peonies. It comes into bloom midseason. A double row of lilac-white guard petals surrounds a center of amber-yellow. A very striking variety in the garden and as a cut flower. An excellent upright grower.

A Brand Division \$4.00

## Japanese Peonies

## in a Moderate Price Range

A Collection of Good Standard Varieties

Mikado. A deep rich crimson
Akashigata. A deep bright rose; always blooms profusely . 1.50
Alma. A very light pink fading to white at base 1.00
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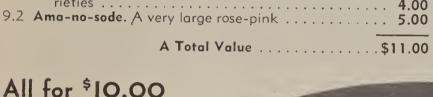
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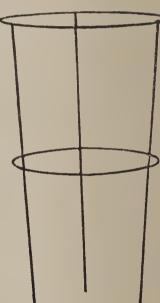
9.2	Fuyajo. A rich dark mahogany-red	\$2.00
9.0	Toro-no-maki. One of the finest white Japanese va-	
	rieties	4.00
9.2	Ama-no-sode. A very large rose-pink	5.00
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### "Rigid" PEONY SUPPORTS







## Brand's New Improved FRENCH LILACS

With Blossoms so Large and so Beautiful One Can Hardly Imagine That They are Related to the Common Lilac

#### **BRAND'S LILACS** are all on their **OWN ROOTS**

These bushes come to you all ready to plant. They need no trimming. Now that the French Lilac can be propagated successfully on its own root, there is no longer any reason why a Lilac propagated in any other way should be planted.

#### Planting Instructions

Watch for an orange tag which you will find attached to your shipment. On this tag you will find printed instructions for planting and caring for your Lilacs.

#### DISCOUNTS

We allow the following discounts on French Lilac orders according to the size of the

No discount on orders below \$10.00.

10% on orders between \$10.00 and \$25.00.

15% on orders between \$25.00 and \$50.00.

20% on orders of \$50.00 or

Note. Do not include collections when computing your discounts, as liberal discounts on them have already been allowed.

We have experimented with the propagation of the French Lilac for over 20 years to find how to grow it in a practical way on its own roots. We have discovered how to do this successfully. Before we were able to do this we never had any success with French Lilacs in the Minnesota climate. We have never had any trouble with our French Lilacs dying out since. A French Lilac must be on its own root to do well in a severe climate like that of Minnesota.

Growing an Improved Lilac on its own root is a slow process. It actually takes us two years longer to produce a Lilac of a given grade on its own root than it would take to produce the same grade on privet. Yet we insist on sending out only those Lilacs that will prove satisfactory, so our customers can depend upon receiving only genuine own root plants.

We have a wonderful deep rich alluvial soil; the soil in which the Lilac revels. This contributes to strong thrifty tops with a large, well-balanced root system.

Our plantings of Lilacs have increased from year to year until we now have for our 1938 sales as fine and as large a collection as you could possibly find anywhere.

This is probably the largest collection of high class French Lilacs in the world. We are in a posi-

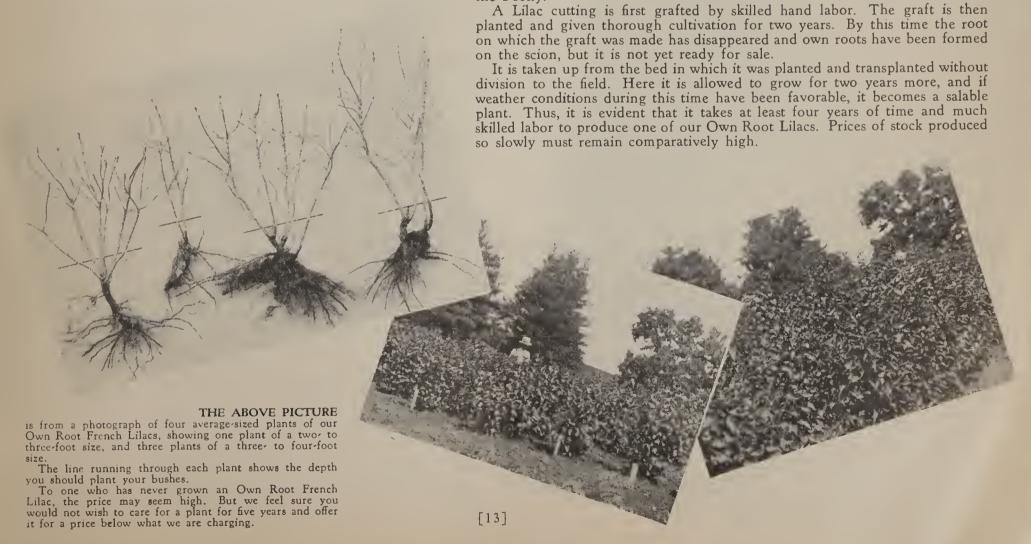
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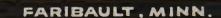
### Why Lilac and Peony Prices are More Stable Than Those of Iris

If an Iris rhizome is planted in July, it will give sale plants the following year. One plant will often produce in this time from three to five good rhizomes. Since Iris stock is so easily multiplied, many people go into the business of growing it, and the market is soon flooded. Hence the price, even of the newer varieties, drops very rapidly.

On the contrary, a Peony root, planted for the purpose of reselling stock, cannot be divided for at least two years. Even then it seldom produces as many salable divisions as an Iris gives in one year. Consequently, Peony prices do not drop as rapidly as Iris prices.

Now selling stock of the Lilac is produced even more slowly than that of the Peony.







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## Our FRENCH LILAC List

ADELAIDE DUNBAR. Semi-double. Opening blossoms are dark purplish red, changing to a brighter red as they open. The clusters are large and compound. One of the very darkest reds in a shade that is unusured. ally attractive.

2 to 3 ft., \$3.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$4.00

ALPHONSE LAVALLEE. Blue. Double. Tall, robust growing; makes a very shapely bush. Panicles long, broad, shapely and compact. Opens an intense blue, but as the florets develop it changes to a beautiful shade of lavender. Splendid sort. 2 to 3 ft., \$2.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.50

BELLE DE NANCY. Double, large; satiny rose, showing white towards the center. General color effect deep pink. One of the best pinks among the older varieties.

2 to 3 ft., \$1.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.00

BERRYER. Semi-double. A beautiful clear mauve with deeper shadings toward red. One of the very choicest of the early hybrids; distinctly different; also the latest of this new line of Lilacs. Exceedingly pretty. 3 to 4 ft., \$2.50; 4 to 5 ft., \$3.50

Single. One of the very earliest of the early hybrids. Individual florets large and of fine substance. We think Buffon very choice. Color is a rich delicate mauve-pink of the finest quality. Panicles very large. Best single pink Lilac. 2 to 3 ft., \$1.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.50; 4 to 5 ft., \$3.50

CAPITAINE BALTET. Enormous trusses of single flowers of the greatest size. A uniform ruddy purple-lilac. A comparatively new variety that as yet is not widely distributed, but which by Lilac connoisseurs is pronounced one of Lemoine's best singles. It is one of the most profuse bloomers of all, the bush sometimes being almost hidden by the great panicles. This is classed among the 12 or 15 best of all Lilacs. 2 to 3 ft., \$5.00; 3 to 5 ft., \$6.00

CHARLES JOLY. Double. Purple red. One of the very best of the double dark reds. Bush medium both in size and height, limbs growing very upright. Rather large blooms, held erect well above the 2 to 3 ft., \$2.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$3.50 foliage; very striking.

CHARLES SARGENT. Double. Medium tall growing variety. Very shapely and vigorous plant. Color a beautiful light lavender. Very double flower with florets very full; long narrow pointed petals.

2 to 3 ft., \$1.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.50

CHARLES X. Single. One of the older varieties that is still in great demand because of its profuse blooming qualities and also because it is one of the very best varieties of all for cut flowers. A bluish violet-

CLAUDE BERNARD (Giraldi Hybrid). One of the tallest growing of these new hybrid Lilacs. Very large panicles of lacy light pink flowers. Blooms 6 days ahead of the regular season.

3 to 4 ft., \$2.00; 4 to 5 ft., \$2.50

CONDORCET. Semi-double. This is one of the very best of the blue Lilacs. The panicles are very broad and compact. The color is a clear rich light blue. If one wishes as near a blue as possible he will be pleased with Condorcet.

2 to 3 ft., \$2.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.50; 4 to 5 ft., \$3.50; 5 to 6 ft., \$5.00

CONGO. Immense, single, wine-red. A splendid growing variety that produces immense blooms in the greatest profusion. The blossoms when they first open and for several days are sensational because of their great size and rich color. Then the color changes to a dull 2 to 3 ft., \$4.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$5.00

**DE CAISNE.** Single. We think a great deal of this Lilac. It is most refined in every way. Nice bush with clean foliage; large panicles very nicely formed, and many of them. A very delicate true rich blue. Rated by many as the best. For real refinement in color this would, without doubt, be rated as the best light blue.

2 to 3 ft., \$4.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$5.00

DE MIRABEL. Single, dark bluish violet. This is by far the darkest of all our Lilacs and was admired by everyone who saw it because of its being so distinct in color from all the others. It is one of the choicest things in the entire line. Panicles rather slender, long, compact, and upright. Very noticeable. This is one blue you should really have. You will note we often have to omit this fine variety from our list as the demand for it is greater than our supply. 2 to 3 ft., \$5.00

DE SAUSSURE. Double. Medium sized, compact, slender spike. Buds open deep wine red with touches of white on the points of the petal, giving the bloom an interesting effect. As the flower develops it fades to a deep rose color.

2 to 3 ft., \$1.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.00

DOYEN KETELEER. Double. One of the most profuse blooming of all our Lilacs. A very large panicle, very full and compact. The color a bluish mauve. 3 to 4 ft., \$1.50; 4 to 5 ft., \$2.50



truss. A beautiful shade of creamy white with distinct markings of vivid bright pink which makes a most beautiful effect. Very distinct and outstanding. This is not the true Georges Bellair, which is a purple, but is the name under which we first bought it.

2 to 3 ft., \$2.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$3.00; 4 to 5 ft., \$5.00

own origin. Plant very thrifty and covered with medium-sized trusses of an intense pink. A real pink. 2 to 3 ft., \$2.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.50

GEHEIMRAT SINGLEMARK. Single. A very deep metallic blue. A distinct color in Lilacs. If you are looking for an unusual color in Lilacs, here is one. 2 to 3 ft., \$1.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.50; 4 to 5 ft., \$3.50

HENRI MARTIN. Double. Extremely long, graceful panicles. Beautiful blue-lavender—a splendid new Lilac. Our show plants of Henri Martin are right by the path as we go from the office to the trial fields beyond. We pass it many times a day when it is in bloom and we always stop and marvel at its beauty. A Lilac of most beautiful form.

2 to 3 ft., \$2.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$3.50; 4 to 5 ft., \$5.00

HIPPOLYTE MARINGER. Double. A large to very large, light pinkish lavender Lilac; with immense dome-shaped trusses. The double florets as they open take on a fluffy effect which gives to the great panicles a peculiarly lovely appearance. This is generally the largest of all the Lilacs.

2 to 3 ft., \$2.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$3.50; 4 to 5 ft., \$5.00

HUGO KOSTER. Single. One of the newer sorts and quite an improvement over older varieties of its color. Panicles very large, broad at base, and tapering nicely towards the top. Color a deep lavender with tracings of pink. Florets large and of great substance. Very beautiful.

2 to 3 ft., \$1.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.00

JACQUES CALOT. Single. Here is one of the most pleasing and satisfactory of the all-pink Lilacs. Always a very heavy bloomer, the bush literally covered with fair sized, nicely shaped panicles composed of florets of great size. A different shade of pink from Grace Orthwaite.

2 to 3 ft., \$2.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.50; 4 to 5 ft., \$3.50

JAN VAN TOL. Single. An extremely fine new single white. Panicles of most beautiful form composed of the largest single florets to be found in a single white; very sweet scented. The longer we grow this Lilac the more we like it. It must become thoroughly established before it begins to show its true qualities.

2 to 3 ft., \$2.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$3.50

JEAN MACE. Double. Bluish mauve. Very pretty Lilac. A tremendous bloomer. Immense full panicles. It just seems as though there couldn't be another floret crowded in. Very thrifty bush that grows erect and shapely, and is very ornamental even after the blooms are gone.

2 to 3 ft., \$2.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.50; 4 to 5 ft., \$3.50

KATHERINE HAVEMEYER. Double. A splendid new Lilac which we like more and more the longer we have it. In 1935 it was one of the most outstanding Lilacs of all. Trusses are immense, very full double, very rich and of a most beautiful mauve-pink. A very thrifty bush.

2 to 3 ft., \$3.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$4.00; 4 to 5 ft., \$5.00

LAMARTINE. Single. Earliest of all to bloom. Tall bush, bearing large, open panicles of delicate mauve-pink. Single florets very large. 2 to 3 ft., \$1.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.70; 4 to 5 ft., \$3.50

MARECHAL LANNES. Double. One of the most sensational and choicest of the entire list of French Lilacs. The panicles are large and shapely, composed of about the largest florets found among all the Lilacs. The effect is a flower of extraordinary beauty. Color reddish purple and mauve-lilac.

2 to 3 ft., \$3.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$5.00

MARIE LEGRAYE. Single. Pure creamy white. To us this good single French Lilac is a special sensation. Panicles very large and rather openly built. The individual petals and florets are very large. Blooms profusely, often as a two-year-old. Sells very readily at a good price as a cut flower.

Own root, 2 to 3 ft., \$1.25 each

MARLENENSIS. One of the oldest and most distinct of all French Lilacs. A single so profuse in bloom that it sometimes seems during the blooming period that the bush is entirely covered with flowers and that there is no foliage. But the foliage comes on after the flowers are gone. The flower is single and of a beautiful deep old rose shade that brings exclamations of surprise and approval from all who see it.

3 to 4 ft., \$3.00; 4 to 5 ft., \$5.00

#### FRENCH LILACS—Continued

MAURICE DE VILMORIN. Double. One of the lower growing Lilacs. With large, compact flower clusters well above the foliage and literally covering the plant. The general color effect is a light azure blue. Florets blue with a shading of the palest pink. A good one.

Strong, 2 to 3 ft., \$2.50

MISS ELLEN WILLMOTT. Double. A large bush with very stout limbs and large, thick, light green leaves. The flowers come in immense panicles of creamy white, made up of double florets almost twice the size of those of any other double white. In our estimation this is the greatest double white Lilac and one of the three or four finest of all

Lilacs. 2 to 3 ft., \$3.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$4.00; 4 to 5 ft., \$5.00 MME. ABEL CHATENAY. Double. Beautiful, great, round, globe-shaped buds like Lily-of-the-Valley, which open very slowly into a very large bloom of pure white. A sort very much admired.

2 to 3 ft., \$1.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.00 MME. ANTOINE BUCHNER. Double. The open trusses on this variety are of a soft rosy mauve, often a foot long. This is a late blooming variety with a bush of fine clean appearance. Many of our customers pronounce this their choice of the double pink Lilacs.

2 to 3 ft., \$2.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$3.00 MME. LEMOINE. Double. One of the best of the double whites; a pure snow white without tinge of cream. Foliage dark green. Panicles large, long, erect; large individual florets.

2 to 3 ft., \$1.25; 3 to 4 ft., \$1.50 MME. LEON SIMON. Double. Strong foliaged and strong, upright growing plant. Panicles long, beautifully formed and held well up. Buds swell very large before they open and are a deep reddish pink

on the reverse side. Florets open like little Roses of a deep bluish lavender.

2 to 3 ft., \$1.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.50; 4 to 5 ft., \$3.50

MRS. EDWARD HARDING. Double. Large blooms filled with large oddly curved florets of a claret color intermixed with pink. This Lilac does not impress one until the bush acquires some age when it becomes a superb variety. Its color is so different and pleasing as to make it very desirable.

3 to 4 ft., \$3.50; 4 to 5 ft., \$5.00

OLIVIER DE SERRES. Double. Tall bush, good grower. Large to very large open panicles. Large florets with large individual petals. A clear, clean, pleasing lavender and many years so deep as to be a clear uniform light blue. One of the extra choice Lilacs. In a class with Leon

Gambetta. 2 to 3 ft., \$3.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$4.00; 4 to 5 ft., \$5.00

PASCAL. Single. Early. Very large, tall, thrifty bush which is a sight to behold when covered with its great open, lacy, plumelike panicles which are a delicate pinkish lavender.

4 to 5 ft., \$3.00; 5 to 6 ft., \$5.00 PRESIDENT FALLIERES. Double. A tall, upright growing Lilac with very large open, spreading, pointed panicles. The color is a bright pink fading to almost white in the center. This is one of the much sought after varieties and we have not been able to supply it for several years. Quite similar to Leon Gambetta.

2 to 3 ft., \$3.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$4.00 PRESIDENT GREVY. Double. Light blue. Immense panicles; very double and symmetrical. A clear, soft, delicate blue—President Grevy is one of the older sorts and still one of the most desirable.

2 to 3 ft., \$1.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.50; 4 to 5 ft., \$3.50 PRESIDENT LOUBET. Double. Red. One of the very choicest. Medium height plant. Panicles appear rather small just as the florets begin to open but they slowly develop as the florets continue to open until they become immense. A bright red in the bud stage, but showing considerable white on the inner edge of the opened petal. One 2 to 3 ft., \$3.00

PRESIDENT POINCAIRE. Double. Very thrifty plant; grows into a large, heavy-limbed bush. Panicles large to very large, globular, made up of many lobes. Petals very large, purplish red on outside, turning to lavender-blue as they open. An immense and impressive bloom. 2 to 3 ft., \$3.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$4.00; 4 to 5 ft., \$5.00

PRESIDENT VIGER. Double. A tall, upright, shapely growing Lilac with long, rather narrow cone shaped panicles held erect on the bush. Color purple tipped deep pink in the bud fading to a soft mauve.

2 to 3 ft., \$2.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.50 RENE JARRY-DESLOGES. Double. Shrub grows to medium height and is covered with medium sized blooms of a rich Lobelia-blue touched with mauve. This is one of the fine deep blue Lilacs where the color

is very rich.

2 to 3 ft., \$3.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$4.00; 4 to 5 ft., \$5.00

REAUMUR. Single. A remarkable Lilac, a flower the beauty of which grows upon you. The flowers appear of the greatest size as the truss is made up of several smaller ones all worked together so as to appear as one great bloom. Color a subdued rose red. It keeps its color a long time and is a superb Lilac. Very choice.

18 to 24 in., \$3.00; 2 to 3 ft., \$4.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$5.00

ROTHOMAGENSIS. The deep rose-colored Persian Lilac. This is the best of all the Persian Lilacs. Blooms very profuse in nice mediumsized flowers in a deep rich rose. The Persian Lilacs are nicely adapted to grow up close to a building and this variety is especially effective against a white background.

2 to 3 ft., \$1.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$1.25. RUHM VON HORSTENSTEIN. Single. A Lilac that produces blooms of the greatest size even on small bushes set out but two years. It is

an even toned light red-purple. 2 to 3 ft., \$2.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.50 SENATOR VOLLAND. Double. Very floriferous. A very pretty Lilac with a large bloom that is somewhat open. When in the bud the reverse of the petals shows a very distinct bright touch of pink which continues to show as the florets open and gives a very dainty effect to the bloom. Center of florets pinkish light lilac. Very dainty in its beauty.

2 to 3 ft., \$1.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.50; 4 to 5 ft., \$3.50

SOUV. DE LUDWIG SPAETH. Single. Red. Although one of the oldest

of the improved Lilacs still it is one of the very best Lilacs grown. It seems impossible to get a red that has so many good, and so few bad qualities as Ludwig Spaeth. Panicles long and held erect well out from the foliage. Color a brilliant intense rich purplered, that holds up well in the sun and lasts a long time. Bush large and a very profuse

bloomer. A wonderful Lilac. 2 to 3 ft., \$1.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.00

STATZGARTNER ROTHPLEZ. Double. An upright growing shrub with long, cone-shaped panicles. A rich red-purple. Until recently Charles Joly has been our only good double red. We have in Statzgartner Rothplez another fine red, giving bloom later than Charles Joly. 2 to 3 ft., \$2.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$3.00; 4 to 5 ft., \$5.00

THUNBERG. Double. Very large, long, slender spikes, generally two to the panicle. Buds and reverse of florets a violet mauve with a reddish appearance from a distance. Florets are large; open a light lilac, twisting and turning as they open, so that the color of the bud is intermingled with that of the inside of the petals, making a very striking Lilac. 2 to 3 ft., \$2.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$3.00; 4 to 5 ft., \$5.00 VAUBAN. Double. Another of the early hybrids. The most rapid grow-

er in all our list of Lilacs. Large plumelike panicles; delicate pink. 4 to 5 ft., \$3.00; 5 to 6 ft., \$5.00

VESTALE. Single. One of the best of the single whites. An upright growing bush with long, narrow, conical panicles which stand upright. This was our best single white for the season of 1936.

2 to 3 ft., \$3.00

VILLOSA. Another excellent Lilac for large and small plantings. Grows into a large shrub, 10 feet high, with large, heavy, waxy leaves. Comes into bloom when all other Lilacs are gone. Panicles large, broad, plumelike, a delicate pink color.

2 to 3 ft., \$1.00

VICTOR LEMOINE. We have finally come to the conclusion that the Lilac which for several years we have been offering under the name of Marceau is Victor Lemoine. This is about the most wonderful of all the French Lilacs and it is no wonder that Victor Lemoine, the originator, gave to it his own name. We class this as one of the five finest Lilacs. Florets are very double like little full Roses, these are gathered into panicles of tremendous size, added to which is a most beautiful bluish lavender self color and one has one of the most beautiful of all Lilacs. 2 to 3 ft., \$3.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$5.00 VIOLETTA. Double. One of the very darkest Lilacs. Deep bluish vio-

let—a very unusual color. Large open panicle with very large individual florets. New. Very scarce. We cannot propagate this variety 2 to 3 ft., \$5.00

rapidly enough to offer it each season. 2 to 3 ft., \$5.00 VOLCAN. One of the most robust and shapely growing of all of the best Lilacs. As near a true deep red as we have. Panicles which are very long, large, and shapely, come up well above the foliage. These panicles look rather open as they are in the bud stage but as they develop they open into one of the finest, most shapely, and largest of all these Lilacs; one of the latest of all.

2 to 3 ft., \$2.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$3.50 WALDECK-ROUSSEAU. Double. A very large, rather open panicle, composed of large, very double florets on many branches. Large flower and very fine. Deep violet fading lighter.

2 to 3 ft., \$3.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$4.00 WILLIAM ROBINSON. Double. Invariably well liked; always chosen as one of the best. Very compact panicles, almost round. When florets are about to open, the bloom gives a very striking pinkish red effect which gives place to a lavender as the florets fully open and their reverse side turns back. Very much admired.

2 to 3 ft., \$2.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$3.00

#### We Are Growing Such Varieties as

Lucy Baltet Marechal Foch President Lincoln Monge La Place Paul Thirion

And Others

And just as soon as possible we will list them. However, we feel we are listing many fine kinds just as good, so enjoy the best now and do not wait for others.

## Two SATISFACTORY Collections

#### COLLECTION "A"

Small gardens do not have room for a large planting of Lilacs, but a few good varieties should be planted in every yard. We have selected four excellent kinds consisting of a fine blue, a pure white, a deep wine, and a most excellent pink. This collection is made up of the very best of the good standard varieties. They are all Own Root, well labelled, and true to name. Anyone taking advantage of this offer will surely get a real bargain.

President Grevy.	Double blue	 		!	\$1.50
Belle de Nancy.	Double pink .	 			1.50
Charles Joly. Do	ouble wine	 			2.00
Mme. Lemaine.	Double white	 			1.25
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Tatal value .....\$6,25
(All 2- to 3-ft. plants)

for \$5.00 Postpaid

#### **COLLECTION "B"**

In clearing our 2 to 3 foot lilac field we found we had four of the good standard varieties that would hardly meet the requirements of a 2/3 foot grade. We grouped these into a grade we call 18/24 inches and are offering them at a very low price. We do not list this size in our General Lilac List. They will make rapid growth but you will have to wait longer for bloom.

Marie Le Graye. Single white  Mme. Lemoine. Double white  Chas. X. Single wine-red  Belle de Nancy. Double pink	1.00
Tatal value	.\$4.25

for \$3.25 Postpaid



Both of These Collections Prepaid Anywhere in \$8.00 

NOTE: Should we run shart of any of the varieties named in either collection, we reserve the right to use same other variety of the same calar and quality in its place.

## PERSIAN LILACS for HEDGES



The Persian Lilac in its different shades makes the finest of all untrimmed flowering hedges for the cold parts of the United States. We have such a hedge on our grounds, now some twelve years old, that everyone who sees it in bloom pronounces the greatest sight in flowers they have ever seen. This hedge is thirty rods long, about twelve feet high, and as many feet through at the ground. Its sides starting from the ground rise almost straight up for some eight feet and then in a beautiful rounding curve form the top. We have never touched the hedge with shear or knife. It is just as Nature has made it and every year crowds of people view it while in bloom and marvel at its wonderful beauty.

Where a tall untrimmed hedge is wanted, this is the best and most

beautiful to be had.

We carry these Persian Lilacs in the deeper rose-like shades, and also in a beautiful light pink shade. The most beautiful hedge is obtained where the different shades are mixed.

For hedge purposes these Persian Lilacs in different shades are much better than French Lilacs as the bushes all grow to an even height with the blossoms all on the outside and this hedge needs no trimming. Each individual bush is graceful and you will not be disappointed if you plant any number of them.

#### SPECIMEN PLANTS-OWN ROOT

2 to 3 feet	 \$1.00
3 ta 4 feet	 1.25

NICE HEDGE PLANTS		25		
18 ta 24 inches .	\$3.00	\$ 6.50	\$12.00	\$20.00
2 ta 3 feet	5.00	11.25	21.00	40.00
3 to 4 feet				





## Chinese ELM

The Chinese Elm as a tree comes from the cold, dry regions of Northern China and Southern Northeastern Siberia. It is consequently very hardy and a splendid tree for use in the drier portions of our country.

Since its introduction but a few years ago it has gained a wonderful popularity and is now growing all over the United States. No new tree ever grew into popular favor so rapidly.

It is a beautiful tree with fine elm-like foliage which appears very early in the spring and remains long into the fall and until most other trees have dropped their leaves, at the same time taking on wonderfully rich tints of color.

It is a very rapid growing tree and soon makes a large tree 60 ft. tall. Naturally it limbs close to the ground and because of this fact and its dense

limb growth it makes a wonderful windbreak tree. For windbreak purposes no other tree can be found that will compare with it.

Because of its rapid growth and its great beauty, it is especially adapted to street planting and for individual trees on the lawn.

Since the introduction of the Dutch Elm disease the chances are that our American Elm are doomed. The Chinese Elm is said to be immune from the Dutch Elm disease.

Do you wish the choicest trees? If so, we will go through our entire grade of the size you wish and select for you the very best at the following prices. Not prepaid.

### Chinese Elm Prices

Select frees for ornamental planting,							
		Each Pair	Per 10	Per 100			
4 to 5 ft.		.\$0.50 \$1.00	\$4.50	\$35.00			
5 to 6 ft.		85 1.50	6.00	50.00			
6 to 8 ft.		. 1.50 2.50	12.50	100.00			
8 to 10 ft.		. 2.50 4.50					
R	EGULAR NURSER	RY RUN-all nie	ce trees				
		Each	10	100			
5 to 6 ft.		\$0.55	\$ 4.40	\$35.00			
	• • / • / • • • / • • • •		10.00	90.00			
8 to 10 ft.		1.75	15.00				

### Chinese Elm Windbreak

The Chinese Elm has proven itself the greatest of all for windbreak trees. It is extremely hardy, especially hardy in dry parts of the country where windbreaks are most needed. Grows as fast as a Poplar and branches right to the ground. Many 5 to 6 ft. trees will reach 15 ft. in 2 years. All heavy rooted, heavy branched stock. Our windbreak stock this year is all in well-branched 2-year-old transplanted trees heavily rooted and grown right here in our own nursery. Do not confuse it with light 1-year-old seedling stock so much of which is now on the market.

	10	50	100	500	1000
18 to 24 in	. \$0.65	\$2.00	\$3.20	\$14.85	\$23.65
2 to 3 ft	85	2.65	4.65	22.85	36.65
3 to 4 ft	. 1.75	4.65	6.65	29.65	50.00
4 to 5 ft	. 2.00	5.50	10.00	42.00	80.00



Chinese Hedgewood, Lower part 31/2 ft., taller portion 7 ft.



Chinese Elm

## Chinese Hedgewood

#### The Chinese Elm Grown Bushy for Hedge Purposes

The Chinese Elm makes one of the finest of hedges. It is especially desirable for states of slight rainfall and where extreme hardiness is required.

The plants limb clear to the ground and are of a bright rich green which lasts from very early in the spring to the end of summer. With the first cool nights of fall, the foliage begins to color, taking on the brightest of hues which last until early winter.

Directions For the Care of Hedge. Plant deep with bottom limbs almost to the ground level. After the hedge is all in, cut tops back so you have an even height about 8 inches high. As your hedge grows during the first season keep top shoots cut back to about 14 inches. The second season keep top cut back to the height you wish your hedge to become, 24, 30, or 36 inches or more as the case may be. Otherwise trim during the growing season as other hedges are trimmed.

The Chinese Elm treated as a hedge can be held in height at about any point desired.

A Low Hedge. It may be kept clipped close to make a low formal hedge for a front lawn, where it makes as beautiful a hedge as can be grown from any of the hedge plants.

A Tall Hedge. It makes a beautiful tall hedge. Kept anywhere in height from 4 to 10 feet, it is wonderful as a low windbreak or as a screen to shut out unsightly objects.

#### Prices for Selected Hedgewood Plants

If but one row is used plant 6 inches apart. If two rows are used plant one foot apart in the rows and staggered.

	10	50	100
12 to 18 in	\$1.25	\$2.85	\$4.85
18 to 24 in		3.65	6.60
These lots will be postpaid for	25	.35	.45
5	50 1	00	
2 to 3 ft	.00 \$	9.00 not	prepaid
3 to 4 ft 6		1.00 not	prepaid



## SPECIMEN ~

## Ornamental TREES

We carry only a limited line of Ornamental Trees, but what we do carry are the very best in the grade quoted. If you wish nice trees to plant on your lawn or in front of your lot in the boulevard, send to us for them and we know our stock will please you.

#### MAPLE, Schwedler

This is the beautiful red maple. The trees have the same beauty of growth that our native Hard Maple has. But in the spring from the time growth starts and for about six weeks the tree is absolutely red. One of our hardiest and most beautiful trees. To grow a good Schwedler Maple the limbs should be allowed to grow close to the ground. Have low limbs on the south side if possible to shade the trunk and save the tree from sun-scald. Nice 6 to 8 ft., each, \$2.25; \$4.00 pair. Select trees, \$3.00 each; \$5.00 pair. 8 to 10 ft., \$3.50 each; \$6.00 pair.

#### POPLAR, Bolleana (Silver Leaved)

Very similar in growing habit to the popular Lombardy and used in similar planting situations. A very desirable, tall growing, spire-like tree with beautiful dark maple-like leaves which are lined underneath with silver. Often used to fill out as corner background and to blot out high blank walls of neighboring buildings. Can be planted within 3 feet of a tall building and it will grow right up the side of it. 4 to 5 ft., 80c each; \$1.50 per pair. 5 to 6 ft., \$1.25 each; \$2.25 per pair. 6 to 8 ft., \$2.00 each; \$3.75 per pair. 8 to 10 ft., \$3.00 each; \$5.00 per pair.

## WEEPING WILLOW (Golden Niobe)

The golden weeping willow, the most beautiful in that species. Very appropriate to use in cemetery planting. Splendid as a lawn tree, for planting near pools or along the banks of streams. A graceful weeping tree with deep rich golden bark on trunk and along the long slender weeping branches. Hardiest of all the weeping willows. Very beautiful in the winter time because of its rich yellow bark, which makes it very conspicuous. Absolutely hardy here in Minnesota. 5 to 6 ft., \$1.25 each; \$2.25 per pair. 6 to 8 ft., \$1.50 each; \$2.75 per pair. 8 to 10 ft., \$2.00 each; \$3.50 per pair.

#### POPLAR, Lombardy (Green Leaved)

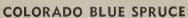
Very similar in growing habit and appearance to the Bolleana Poplar described at left except that the Lombardy is a green-leaved tree where the Bolleana is silver leaved. Both trees are used for similar purposes where a tall, upright growing very narrow tree is required. 5 to 6 ft., 75c; \$1.25 per pair. 6 to 8 ft., \$1.25 each; \$2.00 per pair; \$8.50 per 10.



Bolleana Poplar Drive

### Small EVERGREENS

We have a nice lot of little evergreens in the beds in the fields. They are just right to lift this coming spring. These small evergreens are sold very cheaply compared with the large trees. Many people buy them, plant them out in their back yards, grow them on for several years, replant what they need and sell the rest. In this way evergreens which run high cost comparatively little. All postpaid.



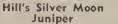
4 to 6 in., 50 for \$2.75; 100 for \$4.25 6 to 8 in., 50 for \$3.25; 100 for \$5.25 These Colorado Blues will generally run 50 per cent real blue shiners.

#### AUSTRIAN PINE

4 to 6 in., 50 for \$2.25; 100 for \$4.00

#### PONDEROSA PINE

4 to 6 in., 50 for \$2.25; 100 for \$4.00
Both these Pines have very long needles and make very striking trees when grown.
They are both fast growers.



#### Hill's Silver Moon Junipers

This is the finest of all the Silver Junipers that we have tried out here in Minnesota. When kept sheared it is a most compact growing tree, extremely drought resistant, and a beautiful rich silver in color.

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Prices: 2½ to 3 ft., \$5.00 each if taken from the nursery;

\$6.50 each if crated and shipped out by express or freight, collect.

## ORNAMENTAL TREES IN SMALL SIZES

BASSWOOD (American Linden). One of the hardiest and most beautiful of all our native ornamental trees. A fast growing, pyramidal tree with very large deep green leaves. Basswood honey, the best white honey, is made from the blossoms of this tree. 3 to 4 ft., 25c each; 6 for \$1.25.

BLACK WALNUT. One of the hardiest, easiest to grow, and longest lived of all our trees. Native as far north as Faribault. Grows into an immense spreading tree of great beauty. Valuable to grow in the windbreak and in waste pieces of rough land where it can be allowed to stand to produce lumber which is very valuable. 18 to 24 in., \$5.00 per 100; \$35.00 per M. 2 to 3 ft., \$6.50 per 100; \$45.00 per M. 2 to 3 ft. select trees, \$1.00 per 10; \$8.00 per 100. 3 to 4 ft. select trees, \$1.50 per 10; \$12.00 per 100. All transplanted trees. Express collect.

CORKSCREW WILLOW. A beautiful but odd looking tree that comes to us from the Department of Agriculture at Washington. An upright willow which grows much like a Lombardy Poplar with every limb twisting and turning as it grows upwards much after the fashion of a corkscrew. Might be termed the Corkscrew Willow. 3 to 4 ft., \$1.00.

GINKGO or MAIDEN HAIR TREE. An odd but beautiful tree from Japan, with peculiar fernlike foliage which is entirely unlike that of any other tree. Beginning to be much used now as a new ornamental tree. A specimen of this tree is growing at Duluth, Minnesota, which speaks for its hardiness. 2-ft. trees, 75c; 3 for \$2.00; 1-ft. trees, 25c; 6 for \$1.25.

JAPANESE WALNUT. One of the prettiest of trees to grow in the back yard. It develops into a broad spreading tree with dense green foliage and smooth clean grey bark. Bears heavy crops of nuts resembling butternuts in appearance and flavor. The nuts come in great clusters of from 12 to 16, which hang down like bunches of grapes. Shells are thin and easy to crack. 2-ft., 75c; 3 for \$2.00.

KENTUCKY COFFEE TREE. A tall, fast-growing upright tree often found native this far north, so it is perfectly hardy. A fine ornamental tree for the lawn or to grow in clusters. The foliage is 2 to 3 ft. long, of great grace and beauty. Greenish white flowers in long panicles come on the end of the current year's growth and are followed by interesting clusters of large, flat, red seed pods which hang on all winter. 18 to 24 in. trees, 25c; 6 for \$1.25. 2-ft. trees, 75c; 3 for \$2.00.

MOUNTAIN ASH, European. A fine ornamental tree for the lawn. Almost without pruning, it forms a magnificent, fairly dense, well-shaped head, covered from midsummer until midwinter with large clusters of beautiful scarlet berries—a brilliant color for the landscape. 3 to 4 ft., 25c each; 6 for \$1.25.

PUSSY WILLOW. Grow and have your own pussy willow branches. Cut them fresh from your own trees and have them in season just when you want them. 3 to 4 ft. trees, 60c each; 2 for \$1.00.





Dolgo Crab

## A Wonderful OFFER &

Flowering Crabs are not only wonderful to grow as individual specimens dotted here and there about the lawns and borders, but often they are planted with several kinds in a group. For such a group, we are making this special offer which we feel is the finest offering of Crabs made

<b>Beauty.</b> 3 to 4 ft	. \$1.00
Des Moines. 2 to 3 ft	
Dolga. 3 to 4 ft	
Eleyi. 4 to 5 ft	
Flame. 3 to 4 ft	
Hopa. 3 to 4 ft	



This is a truly horticultural novelty. The tree is of first degree hardiness. It is a tremendous bearer. The fruit is of good size for 'a Crab and good to cook. If not picked the fruit will hang on all winter as shown in the illustration.

Regular value ...\$6.50 for \$5.75 Postpaid in U. S. A.

### FLOWERING TREES

Other Than Flowering Crab Trees

ROSE TREE OF CHINA (Flowering Plum)

PRUNUS TRILOBA (Double Flowering Plum). This is the shrub often sold under the name of "Rose Tree of China." The most beautiful of all the flowering shrubs that is hardy enough for the Middle Northwest. Grows into a bush or tree from 8 to 10 feet high. In the early spring the branches are loaded with small, very double, roselike flowers an inch in diameter; intense pink on the outside, fading to the most delicate shell-pink in the center.

Strong 2 to 3 ft. trees, 75c; 2 for \$1.25.

#### RED LEAF PLUM

IMPROVED NEWPORT. The Minnesota Fruit Farm sent out the Newport which was a fairly good red-leaved tree. They later on discovered among their red seedlings a tree which resembled the Newport but which had much redder leaves and was far superior to the Newport in every way. This is the IMPROVED NEWPORT. The foliage is an intense rich red all through the season. A row of Improved Newport in the nursery all through the season is a brilliant sight. The most brilliant of all red-leaved trees and perfectly hardy 100 miles north of Faribault. This is the red-leaved Plum.

2 to 3 ft., 75c; 3 to 4 ft., \$1.00.

#### BECHTEL'S DOUBLE FLOWERING CRAB

A double form of the native wild Crab. Grows about ten feet high. Hardy. During the blooming season, it is covered with masses of beautiful, double pink flowers that look like pink Roses. The perfume is simply exquisite. Strong 2 to 3 ft., 75c; 2 for \$1.40.

## DUAL PURPOSE ~ Flowering Crabs

### BEARING BOTH FRUITS AND FLOWERS

For many years we have been interested in Flowering Crabs. We felt that at some future time a line of crabs would be introduced that would bear fruit as well as flowers. Our first crab of this kind was the Dolga. We have added to this one as fast as we have found desirable kinds until we now have six beautiful Flowering Crabs which are absolutely hardy here in Minnesota and most of which bear good edible fruit.

#### FLOWERING CRAB LIST

Many people are looking for just such a crab as Beauty Crab. The tree is the most upright growing apple or crab tree we know. We have a specimen in our private garden that stands about 18 feet high with a limb spread of not more than 7 feet. In growth it resembles the Lombardy or Bolleana Poplar and will fit into a planting where either of these trees would. It is a tree one would like to plant against the corner of a house or as a sentinel or accent tree along the back line of the yard. Besides being a pretty tree, it bears great quantities of brilliant deep red crabs an inch in diameter which are beautiful on the tree and also make wonderful sauce.

2 to 3 ft., 75c; 3 to 4 ft., \$1.00; 4 to 5 ft., \$1.25.

DES MOINES. We consider this crab the horticultural wonder of our time. As I was riding about Des Moines several years ago with the late W. G. Dumont, who was at that time President of the American Peony Society, I admired the nice plantings about the city. During this drive we passed a yard that contained a big clump of Flowering Crabs. The trees were bare of all foliage but to our surprise one of them was at that late date, February, still covered with a great crop of small crab apples. Mr. Dumont later procured cuttings from this tree and I began to propagate it. The fruit is round to conical in shape, and about three fourths of an inch in diameter. It is of a dull red color on a yellowish green ground. The fruit is borne in such quantities as to almost hide the limbs. And most remarkable of all, if not picked from the tree it will hang on all winter. The picture of the fruit shown on this page was taken on the 12th day of January, 1938.

Nice 1-yr. trees, \$1.25 each; 2 or more at \$1.00 each.

**POLGO.** The Dolgo is known as the great dual purpose crab. The trees, which seldom grow over 12 feet high, are very shapely and neat in appearance and develop into a beautiful small lawn tree. It is extremely hardy and after it has attained its growth will last for many years. In the spring it is one solid mass of large white blooms, which are followed by a great crop of crab apples. These crabs are a brilliant red about an inch in diameter and an inch and a half long. The fruit is so brilliant in color and so abundant on the tree that it makes a wonderful ornamental sight. The fruit makes up into a jelly of the finest flavor and a beautiful red color. This crab is not grown for its ornamental qualities alone but it is grown commercially for the fruit which readily sells at a big price. One of our customers from Washington, D. C., writes us: "The Dolgo, when in fruit, is the most beautiful thing I ever saw in the line of a flowering crab." The Dolga is now being planted in northern orchards for the fruit which sells for high prices.

2 to 3 ft., 65c each; 5 for \$3.00. 3 to 4 ft., 75c each; 5 for \$3.50. 4 to 5 ft., \$1.25 each; 2 or more at \$1.00. 5 to 6 ft., \$1.50 each.

LEYI. A new flowering crab from Europe that we have tried out and found very desirable. Many of the crabs are not desirable where one has a severe winter such as we have here in Minnesota. Eleyi has done so well with us that we are adding it to our list as most desirable. The flowers are single and a dark pink color. The fruit which follows is a bright red and very showy. The foliage in the spring is a peculiar red and very noticeable. 4 to 5 ft., \$1.25 each.

FLAME. This is the sensational new flowering crab recently named and sent out by the Minnesota State Fruit Farm. It is a beautiful slender-limbed, very graceful, upright-growing tree. This small tree is especially attractive in the fall when every branch is literally covered with great ropes of its small brilliantly colored red fruit. Those who named it say the name is appropriate as the ripening fruit resembles one great flame of fire. It is also good for jelly and canning.

Nice 3- to 4-ft. trees, \$1.25 each; 2 or more at \$1.00 each.

OPA. From a purely ornamental standpoint the Hopa is without doubt the most beautiful flowering crab that can be grown in the North. It is perfectly hardy here at Faribault and is hardy anywhere in our state. It develops into a beautiful, graceful, medium-sized tree that is an ornament anywhere it may be placed. The bark is a rich dark blackish red. The buds and foliage are a noticeable reddish purple, and the tree when in bloom is covered with large single deep rose-colored blossoms which continue long on the tree to be followed by quantities of small reddish fleshed attractive fruit which makes a good jelly.

2 to 3 ft., 75c; 2 or more trees at 60c. 3 to 4 ft., \$1.00; 2 or more at 85c. 4 to 5 ft., \$1.25 each.

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RED RIVER. This is another of the dual purpose crabs. It not only makes a very fine ornamental tree when in bloom but it also bears profusely a large red crab which is beautiful on the tree when ripe and is fine to eat as late as Christmas. We call it the farthest North Crab as it comes to us from Fargo, N. D., where it was originated by Prof. Yeagers of the North Dakota Station. It is a hybrid between the Red Delicious and the Dolga crab carrying the good points of both parents. Our stock of this variety is limited.

2 to 3 ft., 75c; 3 to 4 ft., \$1.00.



Red Leaf Plum



FLOW ERING SHRUBS

ALMOND, Dauble-Flawering Pink. This and the Forsythia are our earliest flowering shrubs. Blossoms like little double pink roses cover the bush just 2 to 3 ft., 65c; 2 for \$1.15 before the leaves come.

Brand's

A., Double White. Same as the pink Almond excepting that the flowers are a clear glistening white. This makes a wonderfully attractive shrub and is 2 to 3 ft., 65c; 2 for \$1.15 rather scarce.

A rich deep red purple. Plant dies to ground in the winter. Mulch with leaves or straw up into the branches a foot deep, remove in spring and cut

back to 6 inches. New branches will soon grow and these will blossom all summer.

1-year plants, 40c; 3 for \$1.00

18 to 24 in., 35c each

CORNUS aurea. This is the Golden Barked Dogwood. Very beautiful as a splash of color is needed in the border during the winter. The bark is a bright golden yellow and remains so all winter.

18 to 24 in., 40c; 6 for \$2.10; 100 for \$25.00

C. siberica. The hardy Cornus or Dogwood of the North is much used for individual plant effect and also for hedging because of its intense bright red bark which shows up most beautifully all winter long after the leaves are off The Cornus variety are all good to plant in shady places.

18 to 24 in., 40c; 6 for \$2.10; 100 for \$25.00

COTONEASTER acutifalia. Hardiest of the Cotoneasters. A beautiful, very symmetrical growing, graceful shrub that we think one of the finest shrubs we grow here. It has a rich deep green foliage that looks as though is were varnished. This rich foliage remains all through the summer no matter what the weather may

Tree Hydrangea

FORSYTHIA spectabilis (Golden Bell). 8 to 10 feet. With the first warm balmy days the Forsythias light up the garden before leaves appear with glistening yellow flowers all along the branches. Thus they herald the coming of spring, its first flowers, and how welcome they are. Hardy in Southern Minnesota.

2 to 3 ft. specimens, 75c; 2 for \$1.25 HONEYSUCKLE, Upright White. The Bush Honeysuckles make one of our finest shrubs,

especially where a large shrub is needed. They are among our most dependable and useful shrubs. Birds are very fond of the berries they produce. 2 to 3 ft., 40c each; 2 for 75c

H., Upright Pink. Same as the white except for color.

The flowers are a medium deep pink.

18 to 24 in., 30c each; 2 for 50c. 2 to 3 ft., 40c each; 2 for 75c

HYDRANGEA arbarescens (Hills of Snow). This is the early flowering
Hydrangea. Comes into bloom in July and continues until frost. Large flat white blooms. Very fine for border planting and for immediately about the house.

Nice strong bushy plants, 60c each; 2 or more at 50c each

1-year blooming size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00

H. paniculata grandiflara. The large fall-blooming Hydrangea. Great panicles of bloom often 12 inches long by 8 inches in diameter come into full development in September. At first pure white the color gradually changes to a delicate pink. Make fine winter bouquets.

Nice strong bushy plants, 60c each; 2 or more at 50c each

1-year blooming size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00 H. paniculata grandiflara, Tree Form. Hydrangea P. G. grown in tree form makes a wonderful little tree for the lawn, or to dot here and there a specimen among the shrubs.

Nice 3 to 4 ft. trees, \$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.00 PHILADELPHUS grandiflara. This is the old-fashioned Philadelphus or Mock Orange. It is the hardiest and grows into the largest bush of all the Mock Oranges. Grows to 12 feet high. Covered with great white 18 to 24 in., 25c each; 3 for 60c blooms

P., Atlas. This coming fall we will be able to offer Lemoine's newest good Philadelphus Atlas-most beautiful single white.

ROSE ACACIA (Moss Locust). A beautiful shrub, perfectly hardy in Minnesota. Has light green leaves and long, graceful clusters of Sweet Pearshaped rose colored flowers in June and on into July. Gives a wonderful effect. This past summer we saw Rose Acacia in both shrub and tree form growing in several cities in Minnesota. In all places the plants had come through the terrible winter unscathed and were just covered with beautiful bloom. We have Rose Acacia in both shrub and tree form. The tree form is grafted on nice 3 to 4 ft. straight stems which makes it a beautiful tree. We have a wonderfully nice stock of Rose Acacia for this spring.

Shrub form, 2 to 3 ft., 75c; 3 to 4 ft., \$1.00 SORBARIA (Spirea sorbifolia). A shrub commonly classed as a Spirea. Fine for planting in the front of the house to fill in the corners about the porch. Beautiful fernlike leaves; branches terminate in large lacy white plumes of flowers. 18 to 24 in., 50c each; 6 for \$2.40

### PHILADELPHUS VIRGINAL

Finest of all the Philadelphus

Semi-double. White. Everblooming. Everything considered this is the most sensational of all the Philadelphus. In fact, we regard it as the most valuable new shrub acquisition to the flower garden of recent years. The bush is a moderately strong grower, with us attaining a height of 6 to 7 feet. Rather open, sparse foliage to make the wonderful blooms all the more conspicuous. Flowers pure white, semi-double, often 2 inches in diameter. Begins to bloom about June 15th with us, and blooms profusely for about 3 weeks. Then it rests a few weeks and starts to bloom again, continuing with a small amount of bloom until frost of bloom until frost.

18 to 24 in., 50c; 3 for \$1.00; 10 for \$4.50 2 to 3 ft., 75c; 2 for \$1.40; 10 for \$6.00

The Finest New Philadelphus Brought Out in the Past Fifty Years



Philadelphus Virginal



**SMOKE TREE** (Rhus; Purple Fringe). A noticeably spreading shrub or small tree with large round leaves. Covered in midsummer with a mistlike cloud of very small flowers. These panicles are light lavender, last long, and from a distance they give one the impression of a cloud of smoke hanging over the bush. Very odd, aristocratic looking shrub that will add much to any garden. Hardy in Minnesota.

2 to 3 ft., 75c; 3 to 4 ft., \$1.00

SPIREA Anthony Waterer. Very dwarf, for planting in front of taller shrubs. Best dwarf. Large brilliant rosy corymbs of flowers at their best in midsummer. Covered with red flowers from June to September. 6 to 12 in., 35c each; 10 for \$2.50

S. Billiardi. A tall growing Spirea reaching a height of 5 to 6 fect. Branches terminate in long pink plumes.

18 to 24 in., 35c each; 6 for \$1.75

S. trichocarpa (Korean Bridal Wreath). A new Spirea that comes from Korea. Blossoms are much larger than Van Houttei. Clusters are dome-shaped and have a distinct eye. Blossoms on the smallest plants and heavy every year. This is a real find as a new flower.

Strong, 2 to 3 ft., 65c each; 2 for \$1.20; 6 for \$3.00

S. Van Houttei (Bridal Wreath). This is the Spirea that everybody plants. It is to be found in more yards than any other shrub. If kept properly trimmed it is never out of place and one never tires of seeing it and having it about the house. Travel from Northern Maine to Southern California, no matter where you may be, and you find it. We grow it in great quantities and recommend it very highly. It is fine to use as individual shrubs about the house or in the borders or to plant in great masses, being careful to plant the shrubs far enough apart so they have plenty of spread. Also very much used for both trimmed and untrimmed hedges.

Fine select, 2 to 3 ft. bushy, 50c each; 5 for \$1.75; 25 for \$7.00; 100 for \$25.00 Regular, 2 to 3 ft. grade, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; 25 for \$4.00; 100 for \$15.00 For lighter grades, see Hedging.

DWARF NINEBARK. A recently discovered shrub from the West that is certainly a good one. It is the common Ninebark in miniature. Grows to a height of about 3 feet, slender limbs and most beautiful foliage. Good for both individual specimens or for a hedge.

30c each; 6 for \$1.50

SNOWBALL. The old-time Snowball familiar to every old-time garden. Just as good as ever.

12 to 18 in., 25c each; 18 to 24 in., 50c SNOWBERRY, Chenaulti. New. Very small leaves; gracefully arching branches; pink flowers and red berries. One of our very prettiest small shrubs.

18 to 24 in., 50c each; 6 for \$2.25 SNOWBERRY, Red or Indian Currant. A hardy native shrub that succeeds everywhere. Coral-red berries in fall and winter. Very pretty shrub for around the front of the house planting.

18 to 24 in., 40c each; 6 for \$1.75 TAMARIX hispida. One of the most graceful and beautiful of all the shrubs. Grows 8 feet high. A dense mass of lacelike foliage. Flowers in extra large, upright panicles, bright coral-pink, through the entire midsummer. Much used for cutting for its bloom, and for mixing with other flowers.

2 to 3 ft., heavy, 50c each. 2 to 3 ft., light grade, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00



Berberis Thunbergi Pluriflora Erecta—Truehedge Columnberry

#### HARDY CLIMBING VINES

AMPELOPSIS Engelmanni. A hardy climber that crawls or climbs over wood, brick and stone buildings. Leaves become wonderful in their rich colors in the fall. Probably the best liked and most commonly used of all the climbing vines where a real hardy vine is needed.

Nice plants, 25c each; 10 for \$2.00

BITTERSWEET, American. One of the hardiest climbers. Desirable for the large clusters of beautiful orange-red berries which remain all winter. Fine winter bouquets. Bittersweet comes in both sex plants, male and female. To be sure to get fruiting plants one should plant 3 or 4 vines.

Each, 50c; 4 for \$1.60

BITTERSWEET, Japanese. A much handsomer plant than the American variety. Limbs are also more graceful. Fruits are round but a lighter yellow. Beautiful vine.

Each, 50c; 4 for \$1.60

HONEYSUCKLE, Scarlet Trumpet. The old fashioned very hardy Climbing Honeysuckle that does so well in the colder parts of the country. Long slender, graceful vines with rich glossy leaves and brilliant orange-red trumpet-like flowers.

Strong, 2-year vines, 50c each; 4 for \$1.60

WISTERIA, Purple. We are quite proud of our Wisteria. They are all grafted with grafting wood taken from heavy blooming vines, which insures their blooming within a reasonable time after setting. Magnificent great drooping clusters of purple.

3-yr., grafted, large, strong vines, \$1.00 each; 2 for \$1.90



### FINE PLANTS FOR HEDGES

All of the following shrubs priced below work up nicely into hedges. As to which is the best, is just a matter of individual taste.

BARBERRY Thunbergi. Much used for informal hedges to 3 feet high. Also makes a nice trimmed hedge. Red berries hang on all winter.

12 to 18 in. seedlings, 10 for 75c; 50 for \$3.35; 100 for \$6.50, postpaid...
12 to 18 in. transplants, 10 for \$1.00; 50 for \$4.25; 100 for \$8.00, postpaid

B. Thunbergi pluriflora erecta. (Truehedge Column straight, upright and pyramidal with very dense growth and heavy foliage evenly distributed from the ground up. Berries very much like those of Barberry Thunbergi. Plants can be grown and trimmed like Boxwood into symmetrical specimens. Extensively used for hedges now as it almost trims itself.

12 to 15 in. plants, 35c each; 5 for \$1.45; 25 for \$6.00; 100 for \$22.00, postpaid

BUCKTHORN. A very hardy hedge plant that responds very nicely to trimming. Dark glossy foliage makes it look very rich and neat. The most extensively used hedge shrub in this section of the country.

12 to 18 in., 10 for \$1.00; 50 for \$4.00; 100 for \$7.50, postpaid 18 to 24 in., 10 for \$1.45; 50 for \$6.50; 100 for \$12.00, postpaid 2 to 3 ft., 10 for \$1.65; 50 for \$7.00; 100 for \$12.50, postpaid CARAGANA. (Siberian Pea Tree). Early bright yellow flowers with gray green foliage. Makes an exceedingly fine trimmed hedge any height desired up to 10 feet. The hardiest known hedge plant for the most severe locations.

18 to 24 in., 50 for \$2.50; 100 for \$4.00, postpaid

CHINESE HEDGEWOOD. The coming hedge plant to use where Privet winter-kills.

COTONEASTER acutifolia. Makes an extremely rich trimmed hedge. Rich glossy green all summer. Brilliant colors in fall.

10 to 12 in. seedlings, 10 for \$1.50; 50 for \$7.00; 100 for \$13.50, postpaid JAPANESE HEDGE-CHERRY. A new hedge plant. Makes a fine trimmed hedge of great beauty. Can be kept to any height up to 5 feet. Has fine bright green foliage and takes on rich fall colors. Blush pink flowers appear with the leaves followed by rich wine-red cherries which hang on well into the fall.

12 to 18 in., 10 for \$1.20; 50 for \$5.00, postpaid

PERSIAN LILAC. In different shades of pink. Best of all for tall, urtrimmed hedges. or illustration see page 17. 18 to 24 in., 10 for \$3.00; 25 for \$6.50; 50 for \$12.00; 100 for \$20.00, not prepaid

SPIREA Van Houttei. For an untrimmed hedge, Spirea Van Houttei is very good. It can be used nicely at the rear of a lot or between lots for a dividing line. It is a perfect mass of bloom during the early spring. We have a nice, well grown, carefully graded stock for this spring's sales. Because of our large supply we are able to quote real bargain prices

18 to 24 in., 10 for \$1.50, postpaid. Not prepaid, 25 for \$2.50; 100 for \$8.00 2 to 3 ft., 10 for \$1.75, postpaid. Not prepaid, 25 for \$3.00; 100 for \$10.00

#### SILVER LACE VINE

The newest addition to our list of hardy vines. Plants we send out will grow 25 fect in the first season. The fastest growing vine we have. Dense foliage of small green leaves. Vine covered with large silvery lacy flower sprays of white.

45c each; 4 for \$1.20



#### Collection No. 3813

Here is a wonderful collection:

1 European Mt. Ash, 2-3 ft.

- 1 Bolleana Popiar, 3-4 ft.
- 1 Lombardy Poplar, 3-4 ft.
- 1 American Basswood,
- 1 American Elm, 3-4 ft.
- 1 Thornless Honey Locust, 2-3 ft.

All for \$1.35

## BARGAINS in Small Ornamentals

The plants which go into these bargain lots are small compared to the larger trees and shrubs we sell, which must go by express. But they are all nice selected stock and are well worth the price asked. In fact, they are the best plants selected out of our one-year stock. If you purchase this grade of plants and give them good care, you will have fine plants at the end of two years.

#### Collection No. 385

3 Forsythia Spectabilis 1-yr. No. 1 3 Spirea Thunbergi 1 yr. No. 1

These two shrubs planted together make a wonderful display in the early spring. They both blossom before the leaves come. The first is a bright yellow and the other a pure white. Very striking.

Postpaid \$1.10

#### Collection No. 386

Here is an assortment of 6 beautiful trees that will work nicely into most any planting. 2 Bolleana Poplar for corner trees in a back yard, and four others, each a beautiful tree for lawn or

1 Pussy Willow, 2-3 ft.
1 Kentucky Coffee Tree, 18-24 in.
2 Bolleana Poplar, 3-4 ft.
1 Ginkgo Tree, 10-12 in.
1 American Basswood, 2-3 ft.

6 Philadelphus \$1.10

Best of all Mock Oranges. Six nice, mailing size, will make a bower of beauty.

#### Collection No. 3810

- 4 Beautiful Field Grown Roses:
- 2 climbers, a red and a pink
- 2 hardy bush Rugosas, a red and a pink.
  - 1 Crimson Rambler
  - 1 Dorothy Perkins
  - 1 F. J. Grootendorst
  - 1 Amelie Gravereaux

Postpaid \$1.25

#### 10 Wonderful Delphinium

Wrexham Strain. All Colors, Double and Single

3827

10 Nice 1-Year Plants Postpaid for

\$1.00

#### Collection No. 388

PERSIAN \$1.10

Purple Persian makes a wonderful tall hedge or screen, 8 to 10 feet high.

#### Collection No. 3819

#### 8 Dahlias

**Postpaid** 

\$1.25

\$1.10

A splendid collection of fine Dahlias. All good kinds, all colors, all different, all named varieties, but not labeled.

#### Collection No. 387

Here is a crackerjack col-lection of nice shrubs that will fit into almost any planting. Hard to improve upon this list.

- 2 Golden Elder
  2 Spirea Van Houttei
  2 Snowberry Chenaulti
  2 Spirea A. W.
  2 Hydrangea Hills of Snow
  2 Hydrangea Paniculata

No. 389

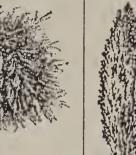
Another fine collection of 10 shrubs that work in very nicely together. If you do not know how to arrange them, write us and we will help you.

Staghorn Sumac
 Golden Elder
 Spirea Van Houttei
 Barberry Thunbergi
 Spirea A. Waterer

Postpaid \$3.25

#### Collection No. 3825 Chinese Elm

Where a hardy, fast growing tree is wanted use Chinese Elm. Will thrive where other trees could not live. Will grow to a height of 60 feet. See page 19.



Nice 2-3 ft. Trees \$1.10 Postpaid for



#### Collection No. 3826 **Lombardy Poplar**

One of the finest ornamentals where a narrow, upright, tall growing tree is wanted. Splendid to use as a background tree.

Nice 3-4 ft. Trees Postpaid for \$1.25

#### Collection No. 3811

10 Beautiful Hardy Perennials, All Different

- Perennials, All Different
  Hardy Carnation, Crimson
  Hardy Carnation, Maroon
  Hardy Carnation, White
  Hardy Carnation, Pink
  Anchusa Dropmore
  Italica
  European Pasque Flower
  Aquilegia, Crimson Star
  Pentstemon Grandiflora
  Purple Coneflower
  Gypsophila Paniculata

10 Lilium Wilmottige

One of the best and hardiest of all the new Lilies. Bright orange-red.

Postpaid \$1.15

#### 2 Andorra Juniper

One of the best, prettiest, and hardiest of all the trailing Junipers. Foliage deep blue-green. Especially desirable for rock gardens.

Nice 3-Year

No. 3821

Postpaid for

No. \$2.00

No. 383

No. 384

6 Juneberry, 1 yr. No. 1

12 High Bush Cranberry, 1 yr., No. 1

8 Nanking Cherry, 1 yr. No. 1

FRUIT TREE Bargains

\$1.00 \$1.00 \$1.00

No. 3817 10 2-yr. Bulbs Postpaid for

\$1.10

#### Collection No. 3823 Collection

ROCKY MOUNTAIN \$1.10

Plant ten Rocky Mountain Cherries 2 feet apart in the back yard. Grow 3 to 4 feet high. The children will know what to do with the fruit.

Collection No. 3812

RUSSIAN MULBERRY \$1.00 10

People who love birds and have small fruit plantings should plant Russian Mulberry trees near their fruit. Birds will leave strawberries and raspberries for the mulberries.

#### Collection No. 3824

IRONCLAD GRAPES \$1.10

3 Beta. Black, hardy, prolific. 3 Alpha. Sweeter than Beta

Hardy anywhere in severest locations and far north.

#### Collection No. 3814

BLACK WALNUT TREES, 18-24 in. 10

Post-paid \$1.10

The lack Walnut is one of the best and fastest growing timber trees of the country. Bears heavily of nuts and its lumber is the most valuable we grow.

### Collection

No. 3820

#### 15 Spirea Van Houttei

Some prefer Bridal Wreath for their hedge. The 12 to 18 inch size grows rapidly into a fine hedge covered during the blooming season with a mass of white blooms.

Postpaid \$1.10

#### HANSA RUGOSA ROSES \$1.10

Postpaid \$1.65

Makes a wonderful hedge 4 feet high. Glossy foliage, red blooms all summer. Red seed pods all winter.

No. 3816

#### Fruit Bearing Shrub Collection

No. 381

\$1.00

3 Juneberry. Fruit much like blueberries.
3 High Bush Cranberry. Makes as fine a jelly as the regular cranberry.
2 Nanking Cherry. Beautiful shrub. Fruit makes fine jelly.

No. 3828

\$1.00

15 Blooming Size Bulbs-Lily Tenuifolium or Coral Lily

### 20 BARBERRY \$1.10

Plant out a hedge of Barberry Thunbergi, the most popular hedging plant in America today. A nice hedging size at a price one can afford to pay.

No. 3815



Collection

One each of these five

fine New Fall-Blooming Asters: Abendrothe, Chas.

Wilson, Mt. Everest, Red Rover, St. Egwin.

A REGULAR \$2.45 VALUE

**FOR** 

**Postpaid** 

\$1.75





Perennial Fall Blooming Asters

#### The Tall and Medium Tall Varieties

ABENDROTHE. A medium tall growing Aster with large delicate lavender flowers with a very bright pink reflection. One of the best of the Éach, 35c; 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.75; 12 for \$3.00

CHARLES WILSON. (New 1937). Here is the new Aster wonder for 1937. An entirely different shade of red from Red Rover. Where that variety is a purple red, Charles Wilson is a much brighter red with the purple eliminated. An intense brilliant red such as can be found in no other Aster. Truly a wonderful acquisition to our growing list of indispensable Asters.

Each, 75c; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.50

MOUNT EVEREST. New. A wonderful white Aster and by far the finest and best white. It forms very tall, well shaped, pointed pyramids with an abundance of lateral growths, which flower right down to the ground. Flowers large and dead white with a very small eye. Florets are as large as those of Climax and it is a fitting white companion for that wonderful blue variety. Clean, healthy foliage. Makes wonderful

Each, 50c; 3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.00; 12 for \$3.75 bouquets as cut flowers.

RED ROVER. New novelty. One of the sensations of our garden last fall. We had a row of this wonderful Aster last October about 100 feet in length and when in bloom this was a sight to behold. The entire row was one solid mass of color so bright that it arrested every eye. A rich deep red-purple. Our first good red Aster.

Each, 50c; 3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.00; 12 for \$3.75

ST. EGWIN. This is the finest so far as we have seen of all the pink Asters. The plant is dwarf, seldom over 18 inches; comes up from the ground often as a single stem which sends out many short strong branches in all directions, forming a perfect dome which is literally smothered in a world of bright deep pink blooms. Often a single branch can be cut with over 500 blossoms on it.

Each, 35c; 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.75; 12 for \$3.00

## Aquilegia

The Aquilegia or Columbine are among the most elegant of the hardy perennial plants. They do fine in full sun but are best suited to semi-shady locations. They are most commonly used in the long-spurred mixtures which cover

a wide range of soft, delicate, distinct shades. Desirable planted in the long-spurred sorts where the separate colors are used to work out required color effects.

MRS. SCOTT ELLIOTT (Long-Spurred Hybrids). One of the best known and most select of all the strains of Columbines. Very carefully selected for clear, even, soft color tones combined with very long, graceful spurs. A wonderful, choice strain.

DOBBIE'S IMPERIAL HYBRIDS (Long-Spurred). A wonderful mixture in the most beautiful colors. Contains every shade imaginable. In England they are considered the best mixture offered today. Great wide throated bells and many deep rich shades not found in other strains.

Heavy, field-grown plants, 35c each; 5 for \$1.00; \$2.25 per doz. Special offer of 10 select medium size plants, \$1.00.

## Fall Blooming **ASTERS**

Plant these brilliant fall-blooming hardy Asters and prolong your blooming season a full month. Have your garden a place of dazzling splendor when all about is brown and sere. They will bring a world of color dur-ing late September, all of October, and on into November until heavy freezing kills the flowers. plants stand our Minnesota winters unprotected.

These late blooming Asters should be in every garden as they give a mass of color after all other flowers are

gone except the hardy outdoor Chrysanthemums.

There has been a wonderful improvement in these fall Asters of late years just as with many other flowers. As new varieties come that are better than the older sorts, we test them out and offer our customers a constantly improving assortment. We want everyone who does not have them to try out one or more kinds this fall. Be sure to plant well and mulch the first winter.

#### NEW DWARF **BORDER ASTERS** Aster

These little Asters, which come to us from England, have created a furor among the gardening public. Only a few inches high, the little plants are very neat in appearance and just literally covered with their dainty blooms in the fall. Very fine for bordering or edging and for rock garden work.

COUNTESS OF DUDLEY. Dainty clear pink flowers with yellow eye. The plant is of bushy habit and free flowering. Blooms late September. Height 9 inches. Each, 35c; 6 for \$1.50

VICTOR. The dwarfest of all and exceedingly pretty. Flowers are large and of a beautiful clear lavender blue. An especially fine rock plant.

Special Collection of Dwarf Asters: 1 each of the 2 above kinds for 60c.

MAUVE CUSHION. An entirely distinct species from Japan. Forms a circular cushion-like plant often 2 feet across and not over 9 inches high. The flowers, which are a delicate soft mauve, measure 11/4 inches across and are produced in such profusion as to completely cover the plant. Season October to November. 30c each; \$2.50 per 12





## Phlox Collections

Most people like Phlox in assortment. But not being Most people like Phlox in assortment. But not being familiar with the different varieties it is often hard to choose from a catalog an assortment that would afterwards please. To help out we bave made up two collections, each of which covers the range of colors very nicely.

#### BANNER COLLECTION

B. COMTE. Tall. A charming shade of rich French purple. CHAMPS ELYSEE. Medium tall, of a pleasing dark red-

ECLAIREUR. Medium tall. Purplish crimson with white

JULES SANDEAU. A dwarf free flowering salmon-pink. LOTHAIR. A tall Pblox in a brilliant salmon-red.

MILLY VAN HOBOKEN. A tall peach-blossom-pink; very

MRS. JENKINS. A medium tall, early blooming beautiful

IMPROVED R. P STRUTHERS. Tall. A bright rosy car-

BRIDESMAID. Pure white with a large crimson center. WIDAR. A dwarfish lavender-purple, large white center.

The above ten varieties of Phlox, taken one of a kind, make a wonderful assortment and a most pleasing collection.

#### SUPERB COLLECTION

AFRICA. Brilliant carmine-red with a deep blood-red eye. BEACON. A very profuse blooming bright cherry-red. BETTY LOU. A bright orange-scarlet with claret center. COMUS. A clear cherry-red, overspread bright scarlet. COUNT ZEPPELIN. A tall white with a vermilion-red eye. ENCHANTRESS. A bright salmon-pink with a darker eye. FRAU ANTON BUCHNER. A tall, rich looking pure

ORCHID ROSE. Immense panicles in a beautiful shade of

STARLIGHT. Violet red, shading to lilac with white center. THOR. Deep salmon-pink with a large red eye. Thrifty

Another fine collection made up of all fine sorts, every ane af which will please.

of each, 10 in all, \$1.95 The 2 Collections \$3.85

## Hardy Perennial PHLOX

Starting to bloom in midseason, they carry loads of the most brilliant color far into the fall or until touched with frost.

Do not compare the prices for our Phlox plants with cheaper prices where orders are filled with plants commonly called Baby Phlox Plants. Our Phlox have all been grown right out in the field one year before shipping.

Our list of standard Phlox is made up of sorts we have tested for many years and have chosen the very best of the larger number of older varieties that are offered

We add also a short list of what we consider the most desirable of the newer varieties

Prices for Standard Varieties of 1-year, field-grown stock, all postpaid: 1 Phlox, 35c; 3 of different varieties for 75c; 6 all different varieties for \$1.20; any 12 for \$2.25.

Many people like to plant their Phlox in groups of three or more of a kind. Some prefer entire beds made up of one kind. If you wish to plant of one sort, we offer the following prices:

3 Phlox of one kind, 55c; 6 Phlox of one kind, \$1.00; 12 Phlox of one kind, \$1.95.

#### SOME NEW PHLOX

We are listing five of the most outstanding of the new Phlox which we grew and also saw in our trips around the country this past season. They are all distinct and you will not make a mistake in adding any or all of them to your list.

DAILY SKETCH. It is seldom in the development of new varieties of flowers such a variety is produced. It does not resemble in any way any other Phlox of which we have knowledge. It is the most distinct new Phlox we have seen in many years. The plant is tall, the individual flower very large. The color is a light salmon pink with a very large and very noticeable carmine eye. Surely an outstanding new Each, 50c; 3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.00 variety.

LILLIAN. Here is another outstanding new Phlox for the year. It is a strong, robust grower and will stand up under conditions where many Phlox would not. We ran across it for the first time last year and couldn't resist adding it to our collection.

It is very charming in color combination. One of those rich salmon-pinks with a pretty bluish eye, just enough to make it unusually desirable. Each, 50c; 3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.00

NORDLICHT. A tall, strong growing plant which holds its foliage nice and green throughout the heat. The color is a deep carmine pink lit up by a large brilliant red center. The flowers stand the most intense heat without fading. The variety is late and distinct from all other Each, 50c; 3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.00

PAINTED LADY. This is, indeed, a very striking variety. At a distance it seems to be a beau-

tiful uniform self rich pink, but as you come closer to the flower you will notice a very small, sharply defined rich red center. No other Phlox like it.

Each, 50c; 3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.00 TIGRESS. The outstanding Phlox novelty. Vigorous, upright growing, with immense trusses of brilliant orange-scarlet flowers. The trusses are huge pyramids which are built up by long-branched laterals, giving an unusually long period of bloom. These immense trusses of brilliant orange-scarlet have long been sought for by all Phlox enthusiasts and are now available on upright, vigorous plants. The Phlox lover's dream of yesterday becomes a reality today.

Each, 50c; 3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.00

## Delphinium

#### Strong Plants, 35c each; 4 for \$1; \$2.50 per doz.

The Delphinium or Perennial Larkspur is one of the flowers indispensable to our flower gardens. No garden is quite finished without it, as it works into so many places. It starts blooming in June and continues throughout the season until frost, if, as soon as the first bloom falls, the old spike is cut off and the root well watered.

WREXHAM HOLLYHOCK STRAIN. We have a nice bed of plants for this spring's trade in this wonderful strain from the finest seed we could procure in both England and America. Delphinium plants will go out at the proper planting season and only select plants will go into our orders. Wonderful assortment of colors.

#### SPECIAL NEW PHLOX COLLECTION

One each of Daily Sketch, Lilli-7. Nordlicht, Painted Lady and Tign

> only \$1.95 All Phlox Prices Are Postpaid



Wrexham Strain Delphinium



## Phlox Subulata Creeping Phlox

These dwarf creeping Phloxes are some of the first flowers to brighten the landscape in the spring. Because of their low growth, spreading habits, and vivid colors, they are especially fine for rock garden work. They are used extensively to put into terrace plantings, where dotted in among other plants, they are exceedingly bright and effective. Extensively used for planting about the base of the stone in cemetery work. Height, 4 to 6 inches. The new varieties are extremely fine.

ATROPURPUREA. This is the richest and most brilliant of all of this type of Phlox. The color is a deep carmine red. This variety is used for cemetery planting. The long rows of Atropurpurea in our fields at this time (May 20th) are attracting travelers from a distant highway who come to see what these red streaks appearing so early could be.

ALBA. Absolutely pure white. The plant has a tendency to grow into a perfectly round little plant from 1 foot to 18 inches in diameter and when in bloom it is just one solid

LILACINA. A very strong growing creeping variety that forms a solid carpet with its rich light green glossy foliage. Completely covered with delicate lavender flowers, with a circle of little dark blue dots at the base of the petals. Foliage remains lovely all winter under the snow.

MOERHEIM. Here is indeed a real acquisition to our list of new Phlox Subulata which we are building up. It is a very much enlarged and improved Rosea. The individual flowers are much larger, the petals bigger, the color richer, and the eye much more prominent. 50c each for division

ROSEA. A deep uniform rose color, with a circle of minute carmine dots at the base of the petals. Forms a very compact uniform shaped plant and is very effective.

VIVID. A small blossom of the brightest imaginable clear pink with a very clearly defined small vivid deep red eye. This little Phlox is very choice and is especially desirable where a refined little plant is wanted.

Any of the above kinds (except Moerheim), 25c each; \$2.25 per 12. Large clumps, 50c each; \$5.00 per 12—all prepaid.

## Other Perennials

Unless specially priced, all Perennials: 25c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$2.25, postpaid.

BLEEDING HEART (Dicentra Spectabilis). This is one of the old-time flowers from grandmother's garden, of which we will never tire. The flowers, which are pink with a white center and heart-shaped, come in long, graceful, drooping racemes. Foliage is fernlike and dainty. A valuable flower for planting in the shade. Very hardy and lives year after year. Grows 1 to 2 feet tall and blooms in May.

Large clumps undivided, 50c; 6 for \$2.50 Nice large divisions, 25c; 6 for \$1.25

PLATYCODON (Balloon Flower). A splendid flower for the rock garden. Very hardy. Neat, upright plants, covered with large blue bell-shaped flowers all summer.

**STATICE Lotifolia** (Sea Lavender). A great flower to dress bouquets with both summer and winter. Long stems, which are fine for cutting, branch out into great heads 18 inches across, made up of minute little blue flowers.

SEDUM Spectabile, Brilliant. A sensational new Sedum. The plant has the appearance and habit of Spectabile but the flower is very different. Plant grows to a height of about 12 inches; each branch terminates in a great flat bloom 6 inches in diameter, made up of many little florets and of the most brilliant crimson. This should be in every garden. Should be planted in groups of about 3 plants.

LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY. Nice to plant in shady places under trees or about the house where the sun seldom reaches. Also very fine for the rockery. Take little room but are always there and furnish many little sprays of sweetly perfumed flowers. These clumps may be broken apart.

Clumps, 3 to 5 shoots, 3 for 75c; doz., \$3.00

HOLLYHOCKS (Brand's Superb Doubles). The great flower to plant in mass at the rear of the garden as a background. Double hollyhocks are much more satisfactory than the singles. We have a beautiful strain in Double White, Red, Yellow, and Newport Pink—the best pink. In mixture, we do not have the colors separate.

GYPSOPHILA (Baby's Breath) Bristal Fairy. Double, white, and fully three times as large as the old-fashioned variety. The growth of the plant is vigorous and repeats its blooming throughout the summer. Great cut flower. Height, 3½ feet. 50c each

G. paniculata (Baby's Breath). When in bloom covered with minute pure white flowers, having a beautiful gauze-like appearance. Much used to trim baskets of other flowers and for winter bouquets. Each, 25c; 6 for \$1.00



Phlox Subulata

#### Special Subulata Phlox Offer

1 DIVISION of each of the six subulata Phlox, pastpaid, far... \$1.50

## Roses Hardy Even in Minnesota

We do not carry many Roses, for, as a rule, they are disappointing in this state, but we do offer a few kinds that are hardy here.

AMELIA GRAVEREAUX. A new Hybrid Rugosa, that after thoroughly testing out, seems to be about the very best in a large double pink.

CRIMSON RAMBLER. A very bright crimson that comes in great clusters of little very double Roses. One of the very best climbers.

**DOROTHY PERKINS.** Another hardy climber that has proved one of our best pinks. Very floriferous and beautiful.

**EXCELSA.** Another double profuse blooming rich red climber that does surprisingly well in this climate.

F. J. GROOTENDORST (Baby Rambler). Rugosa Cross. True rugosa foliage. Double, bright crimson, borne in large clusters like the Baby Rambler, from May continuously until November. One of the most valuable of all Roses in the North. In the colder parts of the country it is hard to get a continuous bloom of Roses, but these Grootendorst Roses are true everbloomers. The old blossoms should be kept trimmed out as they pass and the bushes will be covered with a mass of clusters of little Roses an inch or more in diameter of a brilliant red all summer, way up to frost.

HARRISON'S YELLOW. One of the old-time double yellow Roses, that is perfectly hardy and a most profuse and dependable bloomer.

SIR THOMAS LIPTON. This is the best of the white hybrid rugosa Roses. A fine double white with large-sized bloom. Beautiful glossy leaves. All these rugosas are fine for hedges.

PRICES FOR ALL ROSES

35c each; 3 far \$1.00, pastpaid

1 EACH OF THE SEVEN KINDS FOR Pastpaid \$1.75



Bachelor Button, Jubilee Gem

#### New Wilt-Resistant Asters

Our Aster Seed Offered is All From Wilt-Resistant Strains

GOLDEN SHEAF. A clear, pure salmon-pink, blending to a rich golden salmon at the center. Of the feathery Giant Comet type. The deepest yellow Aster yet offered and the only one that is wilt-resistant.

Pkt., 15c.

BLUE FLAME. (Bodger). A bright navy blue, distinct from any other dark blue or purple Aster now offered, of the Giant Branching Comet class. Large comet type flowers.

Pkt., 15c.

comet type flowers.

HEART OF FRANCE. We can now offer this most loved of all rich dark red Asters in a wilt-resistant strain of the very choicest growing. The best pure red.

Pkt., 15c.

1 pkt. each of 3 above Asters, 40c.

SUPER GIANT, Los Angeles. (Award of Merit 1934). The largest and most fully double Aster known. The blossoms are 6 to 8 inches across and in color a lovely soft shell-pink blending to a creamy pink at the center. The plants are non-lateral with 6 to 8 stems to the plant. The finest Aster yet developed. Pkt., 15c. SUPER GIANT, El Monte. A special mention Aster A. A. S. '36. Many report this year this Aster as the finest Aster on the market. In color it is a strong rich crimson, and is the largest and finest Aster in this color. Not wilt-resistant. Pkt., 15c.

#### Antirrhinum

RUST-PROOF STRAINS. University of California se-

lections. Rust-proof strains of Snapdragons in a fine mixture covering a fine range of colors. Pkt., 15c.

RUST-PROOF STRAIN. (Bodger). An improved selection of a 75% true rust-resistant strain with a full color range including exquisite shades of pink, rose, apricot, bronze, orange, light and deep yellow, scarlet, crimson, and white. Pkt., 25c.

#### **Bachelor Button**

DWARF JUBILEE GEM. New. (A.M., A.A.S. '37).
A little dwarf Cornflower about 8 inches high covered with the little deep blue Bachelor Buttons. Pkt., 10c.

#### Calendula

DOUBLE ORANGE SUNSHINE. (New). In this orange variety we have the same flower form and dainty incurved petals as we have in Golden Sunshine, or Calendula Chrysantha. In fact, it is the same beautiful flower except in color which is a clear light orange.

Pkt., 25c.

ORANGE SHAGGY. (All-America Gold Medal 1934). A distinct break in Calendulas. Petals long and deeply fringed. Row after row of these fringed petals overlap each other in a somewhat regular manner and build up and give the bloom the shaggy appearance of a Chrysanthemum. The color is a delightful two-tone deep orange, shading lighter at center. Pkt., 15c.

#### Coreopsis

DOUBLE SUNBURST. This is one of Bodger's newest things. A pleasant change from the old single type of Coreopsis. This is a double with flowers 3 to 3½ inches across. Deep golden yellow, very early, and excellent because of their long stems for cutting.

Pkt., 15c.

## Flower Seed Novelties

The bulk of the flower seeds that are used in the world, no matter where one may buy them, are grown by flower seed specialists in Southern California, on great farms devoted to the growing of flower seeds only.

California has the best soil and the best climate in the world for this purpose. No better flower seeds are grown anywhere. The great bulk of our seed is grown by the world-known firm of Bodger's and better seed than they grow cannot be purchased.

#### Cosmos

EARLY KLONDYKE ORANGE FLARE. The judges (1934 All-America Selections) unanimously awarded this grand new flower, Grand Champion Gold Medal for the season, the most sensational new flower of the year. Stems long and wiry hold the vivid orange flowers far above the foliage, giving the plant a mass of color. In full bloom four months after planting.

Pkt., 15c.

**SENSATION.** (A. M. A. A. S. '36). This Cosmos, the seed of which we sent out two years ago, is coming into its own. By careful selection it is coming more true cach passing year. Some of the plants still give ordinary sized blooms but the majority now give the great large 4, to 5 inch blooms for which it is noted.

Pkt., 15c.

SENSATION, Pinkie and Purity. These are selections out of Sensation which were sent out last year as a mixture. Pinkie is a beautiful rose-pink and Purity is a pure white. Both bear immense flowers 4 to 5 inches or more in diameter, making them the best things we have in single Cosmos in separate colors. Either variety, pkt., 15c.



Coreopsis, Sunburst

#### Cuphea

FIREFLY. A new plant. Firefly has all that is needed in a dwarf, compact plant. The flowers are small and delicately formed, fiery cerise in color, and are freely produced on compact plants which are about 10 inches high. The general effect of the plant is that of a ball of fire

#### Hollyhock

BODGER'S ANNUAL DOUBLE SCARLET BEAUTY. A full double Hollyhock of the Chater type which will flower in four months from the time the seed is sown. Sow seed in spring and have Hollyhocks the same summer. Color an intense pure brilliant scarlet.

Pkt., 25c.

#### Larkspur

CORAL KING (Giant Imperial Larkspur). New, A new color never before seen in Larkspur—blush pink, with a strong suffusion of coral which deepens and gets richer as the flowers mature. A lovely pale coral with a salmon tint.

Pkt., 15c.

ROSAMOND. (Gold Medal All-America). An entirely new color in Larkspur. A pure bright rose which has been entirely lacking in Larkspur before. Four feet tall; many spikes heavily covered with full double flowers.

Pkt., 15c.

WHITE KING. (Giant Imperial Larkspur). The finest introduction in new Giant Imperial Larkspur for years. An immense white with florets measuring as much as 2 inches across. The outstanding white Larkspur of a dccade.

Pkt., 15c.

#### Marigold

CROWN OF GOLD was the only Gold Medal winner in the "All-America Selections" last year. It is a beautiful Marigold with no trace of the Marigold odor in the foliage, stems, or flowers. The beginning of a new race of odorless Marigolds.

Pkt. 10c.

DIXIE SUNSHINE. The new Marigold—the flower novelty sensation for 1936. From the Land of Dixie to your garden, comes this most beautiful Marigold. Large ball-shaped flowers, composed of dozens of tiny 5-petalled florets, daintily fringed and petalled. Brilliant golden yellow.

Pkt., 10c.

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GIGANTEA, SUNSET GIANTS. The new 1936 Marigold, the largest sized Marigold ever known. Flowers average five inches and some specimens measure 7½ inches. Not only is it very large but it produces so many flowers as to cover the plant. But most remarkable, instead of the usual Marigold odor this flower has a decidedly sweet fragrance, something long desired in a Marigold. Pkt., 15c.

HARMONY. One of the finest Marigolds ever intro-

HARMONY. One of the finest Marigolds ever introduced. The flowers are distinct, scabiosa-like in formation with tubular deep orange central petals bordered with broad velvety dark maroon brown guard petals. Plants are dwarf, about a foot high. Bloom about June 1st and all summer.

Polyal SCOT. This is the provided and the petals.

ROYAL SCOT. This is the most striking Marigold yet introduced. Plants 24 to 30 inches high. Large perfectly formed blooms in a charming color combination of mahogany and gold, radiating in symmetrical stripes from center of flower. Pkt., 10c.

YELLOW SUPREME. Gold Medal '35, A.A.S. A delightful light golden yellow companion for the deeper colored Guinea Gold. A delightful lemon-yellow and one of the real outstanding Marigolds. Pkt., 10c.

#### The New Nasturtiums

Gold Mcdal). The most remarkable of all the Nasturtiums. When well grown it appears a complete double. The most intense dazzling red color one could imagine in a flower, as bright a red as Scarlet Sage.

Pkt., 10c.

DOUBLE GLEAM HYBRIDS. (Award of Merit). Fine, large, well-formed, sweet-scented flowers of the same type as Golden Gleam, in an evenly assorted blend of glorious brilliant shades of salmon, golden yellow, orange-scarlet, cerise, cream, yellow, maroon, and spotted varieties.

Pkt., 10c.

been received with as much favor everywhere as this new double sweet-scented golden yellow Nasturtium. As easy to grow as the common kinds. Pkt., 10c.

ORANGE GLEAM. A new selection out of the double sweet scented Gleam Hybrids. Very large, uniformly double and extremely free flowering, with a color that is entirely new in Nasturtiums—a deep glowing golden orange, with a deeper shading at the throat. Pkt., 10c.

Tech of the Above 4 Nasturtiums Value 40c. for 35c. 1 Each of the Above 4 Nasturtiums, Value 40c, for 35c.



Marigold, Sunset Giants

## and Specialties for 1938

BODGER'S SUPREME FLORIST STRAIN CALI-FORNIA GIANTS. About the finest thing in Giants of California type of Petunias on the market this year. A strain of rose and pink shades in very large single ruffled types. Flowers are produced in less than 4 months from time seed is sown. Pkt., 50c.

DAINTY LADY. The new yellow Petunia which received an Award of Merit in both England and America as soon as introduced. Daintily fringed, delicate light yellow deepening to golden yellow at throat.

Pkt., 50c.

FLAMING VELVET. Gold Medal 1936 A. A. S. The only Gold Medal winner in last year's All-America Trials. Has caused a sensation because of its rich, velvety, blood red color. Our stock offered is absolutely true. Pkt., 15c; special pkt., 25c.

#### Zinnia

FANTASY. (Award of Merit '34). The very informal, shaggy appearing flowers are graceful and interesting, compared with the stiff formal Zinnias to which we are accustomed. The flowers are composed of a mass of shaggy raylike petals which give a refined appearance and make it an easy flower to use in decorative work. Many colors in mixture.

Pkt., 25c.

LINEARIS. Most beautiful of all the new little Zinnias. The single flowers are a lovely shade of golden orange, with a delicate lemon-yellow stripe through each petal, while the center is dark brown, turning to a golden orange as the pollen develops. Starts blooming early and blooms all summer. Pkt., 25c.

SPUN GOLD. A new 1936 double dwarf pumila, in an entirely new color in this type, a delicate pastel shade of butter-yellow. Very tasty and elegant for cut flower work.

#### Iceland Poppies (Nudicaule)

AMURENSE YELLOW. (P.). This new 1937 very large flowered bright Buttercup-yellow Iceland Poppy fits in very nicely with The Empress and The Emperor. Lasts 10 days when cut. Long stems. Very delicate and choice in color. Pkt., 25c.

in this mixture the finest and most outstanding Iceland Poppy strain ever introduced. The mixture contains wonderful color shades, from light to very deep orange, all shades of yellow, white, cream white, all shades of pink from shell to salmon, deep rose to near red, and many pastel hues of apricot, buff, and chamois.

Pkt., 25c.

THE EMPRESS. New 1936. Queen of the Iceland Poppies. Large well-formed flowers with an effect of doubleness that is delightful. Lovely shades of salmonrose, and creamy pink, never before seen in Iceland Poppies. Long stems fine for cutting. Pkt., 25c.

THE EMPEROR. (P.). New 1937. King of the Ice-land Poppies. The very finest orange Iceland Poppy ever produced, a deep tangerine orange. Strong straight 18 to 22 inch stems make this a wonderful cutting variety. Pkt., 25c.

#### Tithonia

specosa grandiflora, fireball. A vast improvement over Tithonia Speciosa. Fireball is a very brilliant, very rich shade of scarlet-orange, the petals in dazzling contrast to the yellow center. Plants grow 8 to 9 ft. high with these great balls of fire 4½ to 5 inches in diameter spread all over them. Pkt., 15c.



Zinnia, Fantasy

## Choice Annual and Perennial Flower Seed

#### NEW WILT-RESISTANT ASTERS

FALL OSTRICH FEATHER ASTERS. (Wilt Resistant). We consider this the finest of all the Comet or Ostrich Feather class. The flowers have long stems bearing full fluffy flowers. Plants robust, branching, about 2½ feet high. We offer the finest mixture on the market. All colors. Pkt., 10c.

IMPROVED CREGO ASTERS. (Wilt-Resistant). This fine Aster grows about 2½ feet tall, is well branched, and is covered with fluffy, graceful flowers, which resemble chrysanthemums. Generally about 3 inches in diameter. All colors in the highest quality mixture. Pkt., 10c.

AMERICAN BRANCHING ASTERS. (Wilt-Resistrant). These Asters grow to 2½ to 3 feet, are branching, robust, with large flowers of fine form. This mixture covers all colors and carries the very best sorts that money could buy. Pkt., 10c.

GIANT CALIFORNIA SUNSHINE ASTER. (Not a Wilt-Resistant strain). A new type of Aster that is very popular. They come on long stems three feet high, with enormous blooms 6 inches in diameter. The flowers are single with a large cushion center of a color contrasting sharply with the outside colors in brilliant pink, rose, blue and lavender. Pkt., 20c.

GIANT CALIFORNIA SUNSHINE ASTER. Apple-blossom-pink; beautiful shade. Pkt., 20c.

ACHILLEA - MILFOIL; YARROW (p)
THE PEARL. C. Bears an abundance of small white,
double flowers, all summer, on plants 2 feet tall.
Pkt., 20c; 1/16 oz., 50c.

#### AGERATUM (a)

One of the best bedding plants, constituting a blanket of bloom from early summer until frost.

BLUE BALL. Deep amethyst-blue. Flowers are not liable to be spoiled by the sun or the rain. Fine bedder. Pkt., 15c; ½ oz., 50c; ½ oz., 85c.

BLUE CAP. Beautiful little dome-shaped plants. Deep blue flowers. Best dwarf Ageratum. Pkt., 20c; ½ oz., 50c.

LITTLE BLUE STAR. Very dwarf tiny bushes 5 in. high. Bright blue flowers. Pkt., 15c; 1/4 oz., 25c.

#### ALYSSUM (a)

One of the finest of our low-flowering plants for use as a border plant. Makes a quick growth and is soon in bloom which lasts all summer until frost. Sweet scented.

LITTLE DORRIT. Very low-growing plant, absolutely covered with small sweet blooms. White. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 25c.

LITTLE GEM. Compact little plants 4 to 5 inches high, just covered with small, sweet scented flowers from spring to late fall. Our best small border flower. Pkt., 10c; \(\frac{1}{4}\) oz., 25c.

LILAC QUEEN. A pretty, deep lavender, of dwarf, compact habit about 6 inches tall. Pkt., 10c; \(\frac{1}{4}\) oz., 25c.



Aquilegia, Crimson Star

#### ANCHUSA (p)

ITALICA, Dropmore Variety. Bears great quantities of rich gentian-blue flowers during May and June. Very showy. Grows 2 to 3 feet high. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz.,

MYOSOTIDIFLORA. Grows 10 to 12 inches high, covered with beautiful rich blue flowers like the Forget-me-not, during April and May. Fine for the rock garden. Pkt., 25c; large pkt., 75c.

#### ANTIRRHINUM - SNAPDRAGON (a)

MAXIMUM GRANDIFLORA. (Giant Snapdragon).
One of our greatest favorites among the flowers.
Easy to grow out of doors. Sow the seed around May 1st, and plants will be in continuous bloom from early July until frost. This strain is the finest to be had in the very largest Snapdragons.

Finest Mixed. This is a finely balanced mixture of all named kinds, this same strain. Extra selected. Pkt., 10c; 1/16 oz., 40c; 1/8 oz., 70c.

#### ARABIS ALPINA (p)

ROCK CRESS. A very showy dwarf plant for the border or rock garden bearing a profusion of pure white flowers during April and May. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 30c.

#### AQUILEGIA - COLUMBINE (p)

One of the easiest and most beautiful of the perennials to grow. Seed can be sown in the open ground from spring until late fall.

ALPINA. A beautiful rich blue variety that is much used in rock garden work. Pkt., 15c; ½ oz., 50c.

COERULEA (Rocky Mountain Columbine). Blue sepals, white corolla. April to July. 1 to 1½ feet. Pkt., 15c.

LONG-SPURRED SORTS
CHRYSANTHA (Golden Spurred). Golden yellow blossoms on 3- to 4-foot plants, long, rich yellow spurs. Pkt., 10c; large pkt., 25c.

CRIMSON STAR. Here is one of the very choicest things that can be found in the Columbine. The long spurs and the wide sepals are a rich crimson, surrounding an inner cup of creamy yellow, very rich when planted alone in a clump. Pkt., 25c; special pkt., 75c.

MRS. SCOTT ELLIOTT. An exceptionally fine strain of long-spurred Columbine in finest balanced mixture. Many shades of rose, yellow, cream, pink, ture. Ma blue, etc.

DOBBIE'S HYBRIDS. The great strain from England. Noted for their extra long spurs, the preponderance of dark shades in the color range and the very large open bells.

Price of any of above Long-Spurred Columbine, unless otherwise stated: Pkt., 25c; 1/16 oz., 75c; 1/8 oz., \$1.25.

ARMERIA - SEA PINK (p)

FORMOSA. C. Large flowering hybrids. A splendid variety, in shades of brightest pink with large flowers. Grows 16 inches tall and blooms profusely. An extra select strain. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 30c.

AUBRIETIA - RAINBOW ROCK CRESS (p) DELTOIDEA. R. Excellent dwarf spreading plants in purple, blue and lilac. Blooms during April and May. 6 inches. Pkt., 15c; 1/16 oz., 50c.

#### BALSAM, DOUBLE - LADY SLIPPER (a)

Plant in good soil, and water or cultivate well and this flower will reward one with large, double, brilliantly colored flowers, borne all along the stem like little Hollyhocks, on plants about 2 feet high. Best results come where seeds are sown indoors.

CAMELLIA-FLOWERED FINEST MIXED. Pkt., FINEST SPOTTED MIXED. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 30c.

BAPTISIA - FALSE INDIGO (p)

AUSTRALIS. Beautiful Lupine-like flowers of a pleasing blue color borne on branching stems. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 40c.



#### BELLIS - ENGLISH DAISY (b)

PERENNIS. A beautiful biennial which will live for years if carefully protected in winter. Easily grown from seed. Most beautiful of all Daisies. Extra double in finest mixture of all colors, white, pink, rose. Pkt., 10c; large pkt., 25c.

#### BIDENS - BUR MARIGOLD (p)

HUMILIS. Plants are just covered with beautiful little flowers that resemble small, dainty yellow cosmos. Very pretty. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 25c.

#### BRACHYCOME - SWAN RIVER DAISY; ANNUAL CINERARIA (a)

FINEST MIXED. A very free flowering annual 12 inches high, covered most of the summer with a world of blue and white beautiful flowers. Fine for edging beds. Finest mixed. Pkt., 10c; 1/8 oz., 25c.

#### CACALIA (a)

TASSEL FLOWER. A pretty flower of easy culture with tassel·like blossoms in golden yellow and scarlet that are very attractive. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 25c.

#### CALENDULA (a)

One of the easiest flowers to grow in the garden and also a fine pot flower.

JEWEL. Award of Merit Royal Horticultural Society of England. A choice new novelty. Orange, semi-dwarf. Pkt., 15c; ½ oz., 35c.

LEMON QUEEN. Lemon-yellow with shingle-like petals. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 25c.

ADIO. Distinct from other Calendulas. Perfectly double flowers with petals beautifully quilled. An almost globular rich golden orange. Pkt., 10c; ½

GOLDEN RADIO. An improved golden yellow with beautiful quilled petals. New. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 40c.

SENSATION (Campfire). Brilliant orange double with crimson sheen. Pkt., 15c; 1/4 oz., 25c.

ORANGE KING. Fine for cutting. Dark center; extra select strain. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 25c.

BODGER'S PASTEL BEDDING MIXTURE. A balanced combination of the lighter shades in the dwarfer types. Many new shades of apricot, cream, and white, as well as orange and lemon. Pkt., 15c; 1/4 oz., 25c.

CHRYSANTHA (Gold Medal All-America, 1934). This is the finest new flower that came out in 1933. Grows 24 to 30 inches high, and bears large clear, golden canary-yellow flowers that look like great big chrysanthemums. Everybody will like it. Large pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 25c.

GIANT DOUBLE MIXED. A careful blending of many different types, shades and colors. All of the best. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 20c.

A pkt. each of the 7 different named Calendulas (value 85c), for 75c.

#### CALLIOPSIS (a)

(Annual Coreopsis). Wonderfully brilliant rich flowers in yellow and brown. Sow seed where it is to remain.

BICOLOR TALL MIXED. ICOLOR TALL MIXED. A very choice mixture of tall varietics in two-color effects. All with long stems and fine for cutting. Single.

CRIMSON KING. Large, rich crimson flowers, very showy in the garden and as cut flowers.

DAZZLER. Beautiful golden yellow, with a deep rich maroon center. Pkt., 15c; ½ oz., 35c.

THE SULTAN. Rich maroon-crimson.

BICOLOR DWARF MIXED. A wonderful mixture of the dwarf sorts. Nice for bedding. Except Dazzler, any of above: Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 25c.

#### HARDY CAMPANULA (b)

CARPATICA (Harebell). R. Splendid for edging, rock work or for the dwarf border. Continuously in bloom from June to October. Clear blue. 6 inches high. Pkt., 10c.

CALYCANTHEMA (Cup and Saucer Canterbury Bells). Finest mixture in doubles covering all colors and shades; dark blue, light blue, white, rose.

SINGLE CANTERBURY BELLS (Campanula Medium). Large bell-shaped blooms during May and June in different shades of blue, white and rose. Pkt., 10c.

DOUBLE CANTERBURY BELLS. Finest mixture, all shades, same as in the singles. Pkt., 10c.

ROTUNDIFOLIA (Blue Bells of Scotland). But purple-blue flowers on slender stems. Pkt., 25c.

#### CANDYTUFT (a)

GIANT HYACINTH-FLOWERED. Grows about 18 inches high. Each branch is terminated by an immense spike of large pure white flowers. Fine for cutting and makes a wonderful bed or border. Pkt., 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 30c.

UMBELLATA. The finest mixture in Candytuft in colors covering carmine, carmine-rose, crimson, pure white, flesh-pink, lavender, and rosy red. Pkt., 10c;

#### **CARNATIONS** (a and p)

CHABAUD'S ENFANT DE NICE. A. A magnificent strain of this finest of all Annual Carnations. The flowers are 2 to 3 inches in diameter, borne on long, strong stems. Deep red, rose, light salmon, white, in best obtainable mixture. Pkt., 25c; 1/16 oz.,

CHABAUD'S DOUBLE FINEST MIXED. P. Blooms about five months after sowing. Nicely fringed, intensely fragrant, double, outdoor Carnations in great numbers throughout the season. A mixture of all colors. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 50c.

MARGUERITE CARNATIONS. A. A very showy type of annual Carnations, 12 to 15 inches tall. They carry a world of large, fragrant blooms, 2 to 2½ inches across, in complete range of wonderful colors. Pkt., 15c; ½ oz., 30c.

CARNATION, GRENADIN. P. The Grenadin Carnations are the hardiest of all the outdoor Carnations. Long-stemmed, upright growing with grassy foliage of the Dianthus type.

Black King. Deep crimson-maroon.

Cardinal-Red. A rich bright scarlet.

Snow-White. A fine large, pure white.

Any of above, pkt., 15c; 1/16 oz., 30c.

Finest Mixed. Many beautiful colors in finest mixture.

Blooms the second year. Pkt., 15c; ½ oz., 30c.

#### CELOSIA - COCKSCOMB (a)

Very colorful plants terminating in large, silky plumes or in great showy combs. Comes in shades of red and yellow and the flowers last from midsummer to frost. Striking ornaments in the garden and good as cut flowers.

CRESTED COCKSCOMB (Cristata). Very striking, showy heads of combs which look as if made of red or yellow plush. Very ornamental on the plant and easily dried for winter bouquets. Pkt., 10c; ½ 0z.,

DWARF MIXED. Finest mixture of many fine shades of crimson, purple, rose, red, yellow and orange. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 35c.

TALL MIXED. Finest mixture of tall varieties in same fine assortment of colors as found in the dwarfs. Pkt., 10c; ½8 oz., 30c.

PLUMOSA (Feathered Cockscomb). Very fine for planting in large beds or groups where they are very showy and striking right up to frost. Finest mixture of all the best colors. Pkt., 10c; 1/8 oz., 30c.

CHILDSII (Chinese Woolflower). An exceptionally fine type selected because of its resemblance to a great ball of colored wool. Splendid for borders, beds and cutting. Finest mixed. Pkt., 10c; 1/8 oz., 35c.



Calendula, Lemon Queen

#### CENTAUREA (a)

CORNFLOWER OR BACHELOR'S BUTTON. One of the most popular annuals. Easy to grow. Makes a wonderful display of color in the garden and gives lots of cut flowers with long stems that last a long time. We have a wonderful strain. All double.

Blue. Select special strain rich blue. Pkt. 10c; 1/4 oz.

Double Mixed. A splendid mixture. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz.,

Single Mixed. All colors mixed. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz.,

GIANT SWEET SULTAN. A wonderful and beautiful race of flowers related to the Cornflower, which have simply taken flower lovers by storm. Great lacy flowers in wonderful bright colors. Long stems. Fine for cutting. Very sweet.

Yellow (Suaveolens). Wonderful rich yellow blooms on long stems. Pkt., 15c.

Giant Sweet Sultans Mixed. This mixture covers all the colors of the giant-flowered type. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 25c.

#### CHRYSANTHEMUM (a and hp)

The annual Chrysanthemums or Painted Daisies are very striking flowers and should be more commonly grown. They are easy to grow, are showy in the garden and supply quantities of cut flowers. They grow about 2 feet high with long stems.

SINGLE MIXED (Painted Daisy). This is as fine a mixture as can be had. It is made up of many named kinds, will make a great display in the garden and furnish loads of cut flowers. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 20c.

SEGETUM, ELDORADO. (New). A. Silver Medal 1934. A rich golden yellow, with a dark center. Very showy and compact. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 25c.

SHASTA DAISY, ALASKA. P. Extremely hardy perennial of the easiest culture. Fine for borders and cut flowers. Does best in moist locations. Large, glistening, pure white Marguerite-like flowers with small yellow center. June and July. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 40c.

SHASTA DAISY, CONQUEROR. P. Extra large, pure white flowers with stems  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 feet long. Blooms often measure over 5 inches in diameter. Pkt., 15c;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz., 40c.

#### CLARKIA (a)

A beautiful easily grown annual that comes in many colors. Grows 12 to 18 inches high. Fine for borders, hanging baskets, or vases. Good cut flower. Best mixture of these colors: Pink, white, scarlet, orange, purple, and red. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 25c.

#### COREOPSIS GRANDIFLORA (p)

Rich yellow perennials all summer long.

LANCEOLATA. Large golden yellow flowers simply cover the plant. Pkt., 10c.

MAYFIELD GIANT. A splendid new Australian variety. Beautiful yellow flowers. A great improvement over the old types. Pkt., 15c.

DOUBLE YELLOW. Very showy, large, double yellow flowers. Pkt., 15c.

#### COSMOS (a)

A beautiful mixture of tall growing varieties in white, pink and red. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 20c.

Single Crimson Single Pink

Single White Single All Mixed

Any of above, pkt., 10c; 1 pkt. each, 30c; 1/4 oz.,

EXTRA EARLY DOUBLE CRESTED. About 60 per cent of the flowers come double from seed. Wonderful cut flower. In best mixture. Pkt., 15c; 1/4 oz.,

#### CYNOGLOSSUM (a)

Beautiful, tall growing, all summer and autumn blooming plants. They produce a world of most artistic flowers that work out amazingly as cut flowers for decorative work. We offer the true early mammoth single type for early blooming.

AMABILE BLUE (Chinese Forget-Me-Not). A beautiful new annual Forget-Me-Not and is covered all summer with beautiful blue flowers. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 45c.

#### DATURA - ANGEL'S TRUMPET (a)

WRIGHTI. An annual that will grow like a shrub for the lawn in a single season and is covered with large trumpet-shaped flowers in white, yellow and purple. The great trumpets opening during the late afternoon throw off a rich perfume all during the night. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 25c.



#### DAHLIAS (a)

DOUBLE DECORATIVE. This Dahlia seed is gathered from the finest of the standard double Dahlias. Plant the seed early indoors and transplant to garden when danger of frost is over. Plants will bloom first year. This will be very interesting as many wonderful new varieties may be looked for. Pkt., 25c; larger pkt., 75c.

COLTNESS HYBRIDS. (New). A new form of dwarf singles which has come into great favor. Will bloom within 4 months from planting. Splendid for bedding. Many rich colors. Pkt., 20c; larger pkt.,

UNWIN'S DWARF. Dwarf plant just covered with large brilliant flowers in many colors. Very fine for edging as they make a perfect hedge. Pkt., 25c; 1/8 oz., 80c.

#### **DELPHINIUM** (p)

If Delphinium seed is planted very early inside or in a frame and then transplanted early into the open ground it will often bloom the first year. Our Delphinium seed is of as good strains as can be procured anywhere in the world.

WREXHAM STRAIN. This is the famous Hollyhock strain covering a wide range of shades in the very finest in Delphiniums. A strain noted for its immense panicles composed of florets of the largest size and of the most exquisite colorings. Pkt., 25c; 1/16 oz., \$1.00; ½8 oz., \$1.50.

BELLADONNA. An open, airy, artistic, single flower in a light blue that is very much in demand for bouquet trimming. Pkt., 10c.

BLACKMORE & LANGDON. This is probably the most famous strain of Delphinium in the world. This seed, which goes into these packets, is imported from England direct from the originator. Their Gold Medal strain. Large pkt., \$1.00.



Gaillardia Grandiflora

#### **DIANTHUS - PINKS**

HEDDEWIGI (Japanese Pinks). A. Magnificent sweet scented flowers that come in many gorgeous solid and mixed colors. These pinks are really biennials if given a little protection over winter. Many of the sorts are as fine as Carnations which they closely resemble.

DOUBLE HEDDEWIGI (Japanese). Large, double blooms in shades of lilac, crimson, purple, etc., with fringed white edges. Fine mixed. Pkt., 10c; 1/4

Fireball. An intense crimson.

Mourning Cloak. Black maroon bordered white.

Violet Queen. Rich violet.

DIADEM PINKS. Finest mixed, many colors.

IMPERIAL PINKS. Finest mixed, many colors.

Any above: Pkt., 10c; 1/8 oz., 25c; 1 pkt. each 5 kinds, 45c.

SINGLE HEDDEWIGI (Japanese). Excellent for the garden display, or for cutting. Large single blooms in many brilliant colors. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 25c.

DOUBLE CHINA PINKS. Large, very double blooms of a great array of brilliant colors. Pkt., 10c; ¼ oz., 25c.

SWEET WIVELSFIELD. This hardy Dianthus resembles an extra large flowering Sweet William. It comes largely in reds, pinks and crimsons, and its large flowers are held well above the foliage in loose, graceful heads. A great improvement over the older sorts. Pkt., 15c; 1/4 oz., 50c.

#### ROCK GARDEN PINKS (p)

ALLWOODI ALPINUS. Comes about 65 per cent double. Beautiful range of colors. Pkt., 25c; 1/32 double. Bes

CAESIUS (Cheddar Pink). B ing. Pkt., 15c; ½ oz., 40c. Bright pink, free flower.

CRUENTUS. Very dark crimson, in clusters, fine border variety. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 30c.

CYCLOPS. Large single flowers in pink and rose with large red eye. Pkt., 10c; 1/8 oz., 30c.

DELTOIDES (Maiden Pink). Deep rose. 8 inches. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 40c.

#### DIGITALIS - FOXGLOVE (p)

SHIRLEY HYBRIDS MIXED. Long spikes often 6 to 7 feet tall with large bells in many gay colors. Some clear and others with spotted throats. This is the finest strain of Foxglove to be had. Pkt., 15c; 1/4 oz., 50c.

#### **DIMORPHOTHECA** (a)

(African Golden Daisy). Beautiful flowers from South Africa with lots of color, ranging from white, through golden orange, sulphur-yellow and lemon. Bloom from early summer until frost. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 40c.

### ESCHSCHOLTZIA - CALIFORNIA POPPY (a)

FINEST MIXTURE (Dwarf Erect Varieties). The California Poppy is one of the most brilliant of all our flowers. It works wonderfully well into beds of the separate colors or in mixture and as a cut flower it is very fine. Sow in early spring where you want them to stand as they will not transplant. Thin to 6 inches apart. Brilliant mixture, rich in crimson, pink and orange-scarlet shades. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 25c.

RAMONA STRAIN. An entirely new compact and erect strain with flowers beautifully frilled and incurved in many colors. Pkt., 15c; ½ oz., 40c.

#### FUCHSIA

DOUBLE AND SINGLE MIXED. A very beautiful house plant. Interesting to grow from seed. By so doing one will get some beautiful new varieties no one else has. Pkt., 25 seeds, 30c; 100 seeds, \$1.00.

#### GAILLARDIA GRANDIFLORA (p)

THE DAZZLER. Intense maroon red and golden yellow. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 25c.

THE KING. (New). Immense flowers of fine substance and finest colors. Pkt., 15c; ½ oz., 45c.

GRANDIFLORA SUPERBA. A choice mixture of perennial Gaillardia in a complete range of colors. Pkt., 15c; 1/4 oz., 40c.

#### GAILLARDIA PICTA - BLANKET FLOWER (a)

DOUBLE FLOWERING MIXED. (Lorenziana). (Blanket Flower). Very showy annuals remarkable for their brilliancy of colors. Splendid for bedding or cut flowers. Sow seed where plants are to remain and thin to 6 inches. Blooms all summer. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 25c.

#### GERBERA - TRANSVAAL DAISY

NEW GIANT HYBRIDS MIXED. Large Daisy-like flowers with small yellow centers. Comes in many shades of yellow, orange, red, pink, rose, and coral. Pkt., 25 seeds, 25c; 100 seeds, 75c.

#### GODETIA (a)

Godetia are very pretty flowers with azalea-like blossoms that come in many colors. They are coming more and more into use every year. Bloom profusely during the fall. They do best in a poor soil.

TALL FINEST MIXED. In all colors. Pkt., 10c; 1/4

#### GEUM (p)

Splendid hardy plants with rich showy flowers on long stems. In continuous bloom all summer long. LADY STRATHEDEN. Large double golden yellow. MRS. BRADSHAW. Intense beautiful scarlet. Either variety: 1 pkt., 15c; 1 pkt. each, 25c.

#### GOMPHRENA (a)

(Globe Amaranth). One of the prettiest of the strawflowers. Covered with bright little flowers in different shades which resemble clover blossoms. Pkt., 10c.

#### GOURDS (a)

Ornamental Gourds are very interesting to grow in the garden and give one lots of pleasure. They come in all shapes and sizes from the small nest egg up to the great Giant club.



Gypsophila Repens

Turk's Turban. Brilliant colors. Edible.
Calabash. The Penguin gourd.
Cave Man's Club. Hercules Club
Giant Bottle. Large Mixed.
Longissima. Edible. Malabar Melon.
Giant Dipper. Large Mixed. Malabar Melon.

#### SMALL GOURDS

Orange. Warted Mixed. Small Sorts Mixed. Apple. Pear. Bottle.

Egg.
Any above, 10c pkt.; 1 pkt. each of 15 kinds, \$1.00.

#### GYPSOPHILA - BABY'S BREATH (a and p)

ELEGANS GRANDIFLORA ALBA (True Covent Garden Strain). Annual. A great improvement on the pure white form of Baby's Breath. Long trim graceful branches covered with delicate little white flowers. Much used to trim bouquets of other

ELEGANS GRANDIFLORA ROSEA. A. Brightest carmine-rose or light rose.

ELEGANS CARMINEA. A. Very deep rose.

PANICULATA. P. The perennial Baby's Breath. Much used to trim bouquets with. Can be dried for winter.

REPENS ROSEA. P. Light rose, 6 in., fine rock

REPENS ALBA. P. White, 6 in., fine rock plant. Any of the above: Pkt., 10c; large pkt., 25c.

#### **HELIANTHUS - SUNFLOWER** (p)

EXCELSIOR DOUBLE MIXED. A. Double Chrysanthemum flowered. A wonderful mixture of colorful decorative golden yellow late summer flowers growing to a height of about 5 feet, covered with medium sized flowers. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 30c.

ANGUSTIFOLIUS (Autumn Glory). P. Beautiful late fall blooming perennial variety. Showy single yellow flowers, with prominent black centers. Fine for background. 5 to 6 ft. Pkt., 15c; 1/4 oz., 40c.

#### HELICHRYSUM - STRAWFLOWER (a)

One of the most liked of the everlastings. Large beautiful forms in many bright colors. Makes a beautiful display in a bed where the colors are blended. Grown chiefly for cutting for winter use. Finest Mixture, all colors. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 25c.

#### **HEUCHERA - CORALBELLS** (p)

Dainty pink or coral bells carried in great clusters well above the foliage on long graceful slender stems. One can hardly be without this in the perennial garden. So much used to trim bouquets with. Pkt., 25c; 1/16 oz., 80c.

#### HUNNEMANNIA FUMARIAEFOLIA

SUNLITE. Award of Merit All-America winner 1934.

This is the attractive semi-double form of the well-known Mexican Tulip Poppy. Beautiful semi-double yellow flowers borne on 2-ft. stems. Blooms from July to frost. Pkt., 10c.



#### BRAND PEONY FARMS, Inc.

#### **HOLLYHOCKS**

Hollyhocks do best where the seed is sown just where the plants are to remain if possible. Sow seed broadcast scattered so the seeds fall from 2 to 4 inches apart. Cover one-half inch deep. Don't disturb plants and they will grow strong and more thrifty than if transplanted and next season will make great strong plants covered with bloom.

DOUBLE FLOWERING. This is absolutely the finest strain of double Hollyhocks obtainable.

Scarlet White Clear Yellow Maroon Newport Pink Rose-Pink

Any of these separate colors: Pkt., 10e;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz., 35c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 60c.

DOUBLE MIXED. All the above separate colors blended in one beautiful mixture. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 30c; ¼ oz., 45c.

SINGLE MIXED. Wonderful combination of both intensely brilliant and also the softer shades. Pkt., 10c; ¼ oz., 25c; oz., 80c.

#### IPOMOEA - MOONFLOWERS; MORNING GLORIES

Annual climbing vines that will rapidly cover the walls, trellises, unsightly stumps, arbors, etc., and make of them things of wondrous beauty.

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CARDINAL CLIMBER. A beautiful climber with bright scarlet blooms. Pkt., 15c.

CLARK'S MAMMOTH BLUE MORNING GLORY. This is the early blooming Heavenly Blue. Our plants started to bloom when only about 3 feet high and from then on all through the terrible drouth and the most intense period of heat we ever experienced, every morning until frost these vines were just loaded with beautiful great blooms 4 to 5 inches in diameter. An early flowering strain which is extremely popular over the whole country. Pkt., 15c; ½ oz., 60c.

GIANT PINK. Throat deep red, shading to pink. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 25c.

IMPERIAL JAPANESE. A great improvement over the common Morning Glories. Come in many brilliant colors. The foliage is unusually large and attractive. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.

BONA NOX. The blue Moonflower of the North. Wonderful great lavender-blue flowers. Throat deep red, shading to lavender. Pkt., 10c.

ROSE MARIE. (New). An early free-flowering double Morning Glory. Flowers a beautiful shade of deep rose. Some semi-double, some full double. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 60c.

WHITE MOONFLOWER. Vines covered every evening and on cloudy days with large even white flowers.

WHITE MOONFLOWER. Vines covered every evening and on cloudy days with large pure white flowers. Start the seed inside. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 40c.

#### LARKSPUR

#### (GIANT IMPERIAL TYPE)

Tall, upright, compact basal branching in habit. The Giant Imperials have superseded all other types of Larkspur for florists and general garden use. Stems often 4 to 5 ft. long.

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BLUE BELL (Bodger). Azure blue. (S.M., A.A.S.'34).

BLUE SPIRE. A deep oxford blue.

CARMINE KING. A rich red on salmon.

DAZZLER. (New). Rich scarlet.

PEACH BLOSSOM. A rich deep pink.

WHITE SPIRE. Dazzling pure white.

FINEST MIXED. All colors in best mixture.

Any above, pkt., 10e; the 6 for 50c.

#### LILIES (p)

Lilies can be grown very easily from seed. Most kinds bloom the second year, but Formosanum, if seed is planted inside early, will bloom the first year.

PHILIPPINENSE FORMOSANUM. Long, white, trumpet-shaped flowers marked reddish brown. Sow early.

REGALE. Very easy to grow from seed. Sow in spring or fall.

TENUIFOLIUM (Coral Lilv). Deep scarlet. Very easy to grow from seed.

Any of above: Pkt., 25c; the 3 for 60c.

#### LINUM PERENNE - PERENNIAL FLAX (p)

One of the prettiest little flowers of the entire garden. Beautiful light blue flowers from May to September. 2 feet. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 30c.

#### LOBELIA (a)

One of the finest of all of the very small plants to see for borders or edging.

CRYSTAL PALACE COMPACTA. For edging beds, baskets or window boxes, Lobelia is generally used. Should be started indoors. Flowers deep blue, grows only 4 inches high. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 50c. EMPEROR WILLIAM. A beautiful gentian blue, light foliage. 4 inches high. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 50c.



Ipomoea, Heavenly Blue

#### LUNARIA - HONESTY or MONEY PLANT (b)

Great to use the silvery seed pods as a winter bouquet. Lovely, large white flowers but mostly admired for the large white silvery seed pods which are cut and used for mantel or table ornaments. Pkt., 10c;

#### LUPINES

HARTWEGI. A. Finest mixture of annual Lupines in beautiful shades of dark blue, rose, light blue, and white. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 20c.

POLYPHYLLUS. P. Very showy hardy perennials with long graceful spikes covered with beautiful peashaped flowers from June to September, in shades of blue, rose, white and lavender. Pkt., 10c; ¼ oz., 25c.

#### LYCHNIS - ROSE CAMPION (p)

ARKWRIGHTI. Beautiful flowers somewhat resembling perennial phlox only the florets are larger. Flowers come in very brilliant shades of crimson, scarlet, salmon. Pkt., 25c; ½ oz., 50c.

CHALCEDONICA (Ragged Robin). Brilliant, round, red heads of scarlet. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 30c.

#### MARIGOLD, AFRICAN (a)

No garden would be complete without its Marigolds. We try to carry the very best in Marigolds for the home garden.

DOUBLE ORANGE. Large, perfect, double quilled flowers, of a rich deep golden orange. As perfect as a Marigold can be. The best orange strain. Pkt.,

a Marigold can be. The best orange strain. Pkt., 10c; ½8 oz., 25e.

DOUBLE LEMON. This is the best lemon strain on the market. Similar to Double Orange except in color which is a pure lemon. Pkt., 10c; ½8 oz., 25e.

GUINEA GOLD. (Reselected). This is without doubt the most sensational of all the tall African Marigolds. The plants are very thrifty and about 2½ feet tall. The blossoms are rich, pure orange, are immense and borne on long straight stems which makes it superb for cutting. Pkt., 10c; ¼ oz., 25c.

TALL DOUBLE FINEST MIXED. Many fine types of African Marigold. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 20c.

#### MARIGOLDS, FRENCH (a)

The dwarf French Marigolds are entirely different from the African. The plants are dwarf, standing about 12 inches high and are used mainly for borders or edging, and the flowers much smaller and more re-

fined.

ROBERT BEIST. Large dark maroon.

SPOTTED. Yellow spotted brown.

STRIPED. On yellow base.

SPECIAL MIXED. All colors.

Any above: Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 20c.

TAGETES (Miniature Marigold). Very compact dwarf little Marigold having a bushy growth and beautiful fernlike foliage. Nine inches high, covered with small bright golden yellow blossoms. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 40c.

#### MARVEL OF PERU - FOUR O'CLOCK (a)

One of the old flowers much improved. Nice to plant individually or as a hedge. Covered all over in the afternoon with flowers in many bright colors. Grown as a hedge it is wonderful.

TALL. All colors mixed. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20e.

DWARF. All colors mixed. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.

#### MIGNONETTE (a)

Because of its sweet odor no garden is complete without this little flower. Should be planted in different parts of the garden so that its sweet perfume pervades the entire garden.

GIANT WHITE. The best white.

GIGANTEA PYRAMIDALIS. Giant red spikes.

ODORATA GRANDIFLORA. The old-fashioned variety, a favorite wherever flowers are grown. Very sweet scented.

MACHET. 15 inches. An everbloomer, the flowers last until late fall. Fine for both outdoor or indoor work.

Golden Goliath. True gold color.
Goliath Red. Large, intense red spikes.
Special Mixed. Many kinds in very finest mixed. All large flowering.
Any of above: Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 25c.

#### MYOSOTIS - FORGET-ME-NOT (b)

ALPESTRIS. Beautiful little blue flowers that come early in the summer. Fine to plant about the base of trees in shady, moist places and among rocks.

Mixed. Finest and clearest shades in a fine mixture.

Each: Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 25c.

#### NASTURTIUM (a)

TALL MIXED. We have an unusually fine mixture of the tall varieties containing the best colors very carefully chosen. This is the Nasturtium for growing on trellises, fences, etc. Range of colors is very wide. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.

SPENCER CHOICE MIXED DWARF. A mixture of all choice sorts in various colors where the leaves are waved. A splendid mixture in beautiful shades. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.

FINEST DWARF MIXED. All types, varieties and colors in dwarfs in a splendid mixture. Pkt., 10e; colors in oz., 25e.

#### NEMESIA (a)

1 foot. A wonderful low growing annual for border beds. Comes in the most gorgeous and varied coloring of any flower. Of all the new flowers seen last year this impressed us the most. Comes in yellow, blue, rose, orange, etc. Sutton's English strain in best mixture. Pkt., 10c; 1/8 oz., 80c.

#### NEPETA MACRANTHA (p)

Neat little spreading bushy plants with catnip-like leaves and blossoms. Very pretty for wide edgings, for individual plants, or for the rockery. Violet flowers, 2 inches high. Both foliage and flowers are sweet scented. Pkt., 15c; 1/16 oz., 40c.

#### NICOTIANA AFFINIS (a)

(Sweet Scented Tobacco)

HITE. A showy, continuous and profuse bloomer growing about 2 feet high, that is covered all the summer with long trumpet-like waxy white flowers. Scatter plants all about the garden. Blossoms open towards evening, filling the whole garden with wonderful perfume. Pkt., 10e. WHITE.

RED SHADES. Same as above but is deep red. Pkt., 10c.

#### NIGELLA - LOVE-IN-A-MIST (a)

DAMASCENA, Double Miss Jekyll. A lovely variety with showy indigo blue flowers. Splendid for cutting. 18 inches high. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 25c; oz., 40e.

#### PANSY (p)

To have good Pansies one must be very eareful in the secd they sow. We have been very eareful in the selection of our strains to look for flowers of the largest size, of the most brilliant colors, and with long stems. There is no better seed.

ENGELMANN'S SPECIAL. (Special Strain). The last word in Pansies. Blooms of great size in the most clear and brilliant colors. Dark and light shades. This is the equal of any mixture in the world. Pkt., 35c; 1/16 oz., \$1.25.

ROGGLI'S GIANTS or SWISS GIANTS. A strain noted for the great size of the blooms and the ricbness of the colors. Long stems make them wonderful for cutting.

Berna. Velvety dark blue.
Cardinal (Alpenglow). Garnet-red.
Lake of Thun. Blue, dark blue blotches.
Rheingold. Yellow, deep brown blotches.
Any of the above: Pkt., 25c.
I pkt. each of four kinds, 85c.

ROGGLI'S GIANTS In Special Mixture. This is one of the very finest mixtures of Swiss Giant Pansies. It is the very finest grade of Roggli's Giant seed obtainable. Pkt., 25e; 1/16 oz., \$1.00.

#### BRAND PEONY FARMS, Inc.

#### PETUNIAS (a)

Petunias are truly the glory of the flower garden. They will thrive in almost any soil and through almost all kinds of weather. All through the intense heat of last summer, our Petunia beds were one blaze of bloom. From the time they first bloom up to killing frost they seem to bloom heavier and heavier as the days pass, throughout the entire summer. Every year we plant thousands of the different Petunias about our office grounds and it is truly a glorious sight to see.

#### **Balcany Petunias**

BLACK PRINCE. (New). A deep velvety red. An exceedingly rich color.

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CORNFLOWER BLUE. (New). A very fine rich cornflower-blue.

Either above: Pkt., 25c; 1/32 oz., 50c.

BALCONY BLUE. A splendid deep blue or rich velvety violet. Fine for window boxes, hanging baskets; also very rich to use in borders.

BALCONY RED. A deep rich crimson; very striking. BALCONY ROSE. A fine deep rich rose. Beautiful in

STAR OF CALIFORNIA. A new Balcony Petunia. Velvety violet shaded crimson, center starred with five white blotches. Beautiful effect.

WHITE. (A.M.R.H.S., 35). A splendid clear rich

Any of the above: Pkt., 15c; 1/32 oz., 45c. FINEST MIXED BALCONIES. Fine mixture of the best Balcony colors. Pkt., 15c; 1/16 oz., 60c; 1/2 oz., \$1.00.

#### Petunias, Fancy Nana Campacta

MARTHA WASHINGTON (A.M., A.A.S. '35).

Dwarf bluish pink deepening to dark violet throat.

Compact, covered all over with bloom. Pkt., 15c.

FINEST MIXED. In dwarf, compact plants about 6 inches high covered with a mass of 2-inch flowers. Pkt., 10c; 1/16 oz., 25c.

#### **Bedding Petunias**

A trifle smaller than the Balcony Petunias, but fine upright, brilliant sorts that give a wonderful effect in bedding.

GENERAL DODDS. Blood-red, reliable. Pkt., 10c; 1/16 oz., 25c.

ROSE OF HEAVEN. A brilliant rose, dwarf, extra select. Pkt., 15c; 1/16 oz., 40c.

ROSY MORN (Best Strain). A lovely soft rose-pink bloom with a white throat. Makes a wonderful bed when planted alone. Pkt., 15c; 1/16 oz., 40c; 1/8 oz., 75c.

VIOLACEA.

VIOLACEA. A wonderful rich color. A velvety deep violet. Pkt., 15c; 1/16 oz., 40c; ½ oz., 75c.

STRIPED AND BLOTCHED (Inimitable). A splendid selection in very bright striped and blotched nana erecta Petunias. Pkt., 10c; 1/16 oz., 30c; ½ oz., 50c.

#### Grandiflora Petunias

#### (Single Fringed)

DAINTY LADY. The new yellow Petunia (A. M. R. H. S., '35 and A. M. A. A. S, '36). A very beautiful daintily fringed light yellow deepening to golden yellow at the throat. Very effective when planted with a purple-like violacca-marine or Elk's Pride. Pkt., 50c.

The following is a list of the very finest in Grandiflora Petunias, both fringed and plain edged.

ROMANY LASS. A rich deep crimson with a deeper throat. Pkt., 35c.

SCARLET BEAUTY. A wonderful scarlet rose, very rich and pleasing. Pkt., 25c.

THEODOSIA. The largest fringed rose colored Petunia. A rose of the shade of Rosy Morn but twice as large and with a deep gold throat. Pkt., 35c.

ELK'S PRIDE. Largest, darkest and best velvety pur-ple. Very rich. Not frilled. Pkt., 25c.

GIANTS OF CALIFORNIA. (Splendid Mixture). A superb evenly balanced mixture carrying many fine shades of beautifully fringed flowers. This is the ruffled Giant Mixture that we supplied last season. We received many pleasant testimonials. It is the last word in a first class mixture of large, rich, single, ruffled Petunias. Pkt., 25c; larger pkt., 75c.

WHITE CLOUD. Here is about the richest, purest white Petunia grown. Pkt., 20c.

BRAND'S DE LUXE MIXTURE. A perfect mixture of all the colors found in Petunias, with blooms measuring 2 to 2½ inches in diameter on plants standing 18 to 24 inches high. No better mixture at the price on the market today. Pkt., 10c; 1/16 oz., 30c; ½ oz., 50c.

#### PENTSTEMON - BEARD TONGUE (p)

GLOXINOIDES, Sensation Improved. A fine mixture in the different shades of carmine, red, rose and violet. A beautiful flower that sends up long spikes covered with rich gloxinia shaped flowers.

Choice Mixed, pkt., 10c.

GRANDIFLORA. Forms a mass of thick grey-green, leathery leaves at the ground from which the bloomstems come up to a height of 2 feet. Covered with rich lavender blooms. We use this flower to decorate with when our peony show is on. Very much admired A wild Minnesota variety. Easy to grow. Pkt., 10c.

#### PEONY SEED

We have produced many of the world's best Peonies. To do this we have saved and planted seed of the best varieties for many years. We offer this seed to our customers. Plant Peony seed and get new varieties that no one else has. It is the most exciting flower sport in the world.

Large pkt., 50 selected seeds, \$1.00; oz., \$2.00.

PLATYCODON - BALLOON FLOWER (p) GRANDIFLORA BLUE. A very hardy perennial that grows about two feet high. Plants are covered with rich blue bells about 1½ inches long by an inch wide Plat 150 wide. Pkt., 15c.

#### PHLOX DRUMMONDI (a)

Beautiful annual Phlox, the brightest in color of all flowers. Very easy to grow. Where the solid colors are used makes wonderful bright beds.

FINEST MIXED. We have taken great care to make up this mixture from pure whites, yellows, rich reds pinks, rose, and other good colors so as to have a wonderful blend. Pkt., 10c; 1/8 oz., 25c; 1/4 oz., 45c.

#### **POPPIES**

Annual Poppies do not transplant so the seed should be sown early, scattered rather thinly over the ground. and pressed down firmly. Sprinkle if needed and seeds will germinate in a few days.

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SCARLET CARDINAL. A dwarf Poppy of the Carnation type. Large, round, full double. Extremely brilliant red. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 25c.

TALL DOUBLE CARNATION VARIETIES. All these Poppies are tall with large, very showy fringed blossoms. Pkt. 10c; oz., 25c.

MIKADO. This Poppy, called the Striped Japanese Poppy, is very attractive. A beautiful white edged scarlet Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 25c.

AMERICAN FLAG. A Peony-flowered Poppy. A clear white with a scarlet margin. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 25c.

SHIRLEY POPPIES (a)
DOUBLE QUEEN. Many new art shades. A beautiful double Shirley mixture. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 25c.

SHIRLEY SINGLE. A very artistic strain of Poppies, large blooms of a crinkled texture.

AMERICAN LEGION. Brilliant scarlet with white

PICOTEE. A dainty Shirley, white, delicately edged

WILD ROSE. Planted alone makes a beautiful bed. Large, well formed flowers. Wild rose color.

FINEST MIXTURE. All shades of single Shirleys in a grand mixture. Any above Shirley Poppies: Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 25c.



Petunia, Dainty Lady

#### ICELAND POPPIES (NUDICAULE) (p)

SANFORD GIANTS. A new strain of largest size. Petals of great substance. Many flowers over 5 inches in diameter. Wide range of colors. Stems 2 to 3 feet long. Pkt., 25c; ½ oz., \$1.00.

#### ORIENTAL POPPY (p)

The Oriental Poppy is very easy to grow from seed. Great big rich orange red flowers with black centers. Pkt., 10c; 1/8 oz., 25c.

#### PORTULACA - MOSS ROSE (a)

Beautiful low growing little plants that thrive in the poorest soil and still every day open to the sun great crops of double and single bright colored blooms of many colors.

DOUBLE PORTULACA. Splendid strain all bright colors, double. Pkt., 15c; 1/16 oz., 45c.

SINGLE PORTULACA. Splendid strain all bright colors. Single. Pkt., 10c; oz., 75c.

#### PYRETHRUM - PERSIAN DAISY (p)

ROSEUM. Very showy plants two feet tall, blooming in the spring and again in the fall. Showy daisy-like blooms in shades of white, rose, pink and red. Both in singles and doubles. Pkt., 15c; 1/4 oz., 75c.

#### RUDBECKIA - CONEFLOWER (a and p)

GOLDEN SUNSET. A. Large golden yellow flowers, mahogany zone, very showy, excellent for cutting. 18 to 24 inches. Pkt., 15c.

KELVEDON STAR. A. A deep golden yellow, with deep mahogany zone, dark brownish central disc, semi-double and single flowers, long stems for cutting. Pkt., 15c.

PURPUREA (Echinacea). P. (Giant Purple Coneflower). Large, reddish purple flowers 4 inches across. In bloom all summer. 3 feet high. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 50c.

SPECIOSA. P. Brilliant very rich yellow blooms with deep brown centers. Grows wild in Minnesota. Absolutely hardy. Very striking and attractive all through the late fall. The perennial Black-Eyed Susan. Pkt., 15c; ½ oz., 40c.

#### SALPIGLOSSIS - PAINTED TONGUE (a)

Succeeds in any good soil in sunny location. Grow from 24 to 30 inches high and produce great quantities of rich blossoms that resemble a Gloxinia. The range of color is very rich and large. Sow outdoors as soon as danger of frost is over. One of the richest things in our garden this year. In full bloom way after the first heavy frost.

FINEST MIXTURE. This is a truly wonderful assortment of rich colors. We recommend it to the most exacting. All rich colors. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 50c.

#### SALVIA - SCARLET SAGE (a)

This is one of the indispensable flowers. Nothing like it to give the garden a real dash of color. Brilliant ficry scarlet. Start seed inside and transplant when danger of frost is over.

SPLENDENS (Scarlet Sage). Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 75c. BONFIRE. Brilliant scarlet. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 75c.

#### SAPONARIA (rp)

OCYMOIDES. A very showy trailing rock garden plant covered during late May and June with small deep rose colored flowers. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 35c.

#### SCABIOSA (p)

CAUCASICA. Perennial. Isaac House Hybrids. The most beautiful perennial Scabiosa. Very fine for cutting as they last a long time in water. Handsome lavender blue. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 85c.

#### SCABIOSA - MOURNING BRIDE (a)

Scabiosa comes in a wide range of colors, all more or less brilliant. They make a wonderfully pretty effect in large beds. Splendid for cutting, long stems and last a long time in water. Pkt., 10c; 1 pkt. each, 10 sorts, 85c.

#### SCHIZANTHUS - BUTTERFLY FLOWER

One of the daintiest of the annuals. The seed germinates easily and quickly and within a few weeks from seeding plants are in full bloom covered with dainty brilliant flowers.

DWARF LARGE-FLOWERED MIXTURE (Dr. Badger's Hybrids). Many colors from white through shades of pink, rose, amber, etc. Pkt., 15c; 1/4 oz.,

SUNSET HYBRIDS. New. Mammoth sizes in beautiful shades of bright red and carmine. Pkt., 20c.

RETUSUS. Finest mixture in 2 foot varieties; in white and gold, rosc, rose and gold, crimson and gold. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 20c.

#### FARMS, Inc

#### STATICE - GREAT SEA LAVENDER

LATIFOLIA. Perennial. Should be in every garden and rockery. Long 3-foot stems covered with a multitude of small hlue hlooms. Fine to trim bouquets and much used for winter bouquets. Pkt., 10c; 1/4

#### STOCKS

DWARF TEN WEEKS. This is the Stock always used for bedding purposes, 12 to 15 inches high and comes into hloom before the other types. Our mixture of this is the very finest obtainable. Finest mixed, all colors. Pkt., 10c; 1/8 oz., 50c.

#### **SWEET PEAS** (a)

LATE FLOWERING SPENCERS. We have tried to include in this list the very hest Sweet Peas to be had in each color we carry, and for real good first class Sweet Peas we do not helieve our collection can he excelled. It is the finest there is.

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Avalanche. Glistening white.
Brilliant Rose. Tyrian rose.
Captain Blood. Brilliant blood-scarlet.
Colorado. Bright orange.
Commander Godsall. Deep violet-hlue.
Corna. Rose on white.
Debutante. Salmon and coral.
Olympia. Rich purple.
Pinkie. Large rose-pink.
Prince of Orange. Best orange.
Reflection. Clear blue.
Sybil Henshaw. Rich crimson.
Sultan. Velvety black-maroon.
The Admiral. Violet-blue.
What Joy. Rich cream.
Youth. White edged rose.
Any of above: Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; !

Any of above: Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; \(\frac{1}{4}\) lb., 75c; lb., \$2.50. Any three 10-cent pkts., 25c; 1 pkt. each, 16 kinds, for \$1.00.

WELCOME. The finest of all red Sweet Peas. A dazzling scarlet. Seed from fine strain. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.

UNRIVALED MIXTURE. This mixture contains a splendid selection of the largest and most attractive varieties, including many of the best and newest novelties. Large pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.

#### SWEET WILLIAM - DIANTHUS BARBATUS (b)

An old well known flower, wonderful for making heds, or for cut flowers. Works nicely into rock gardens

SINGLE NEWPORT PINK. A watermelon-pink or salmon-rose. Flowers are borne in massive heads 18 inches high. Very effective for bedding. Pkt., 15c; special pkt., 30c.

SINGLE HOLBORN GLORY. A mixture of large-flowered auricula-eved shades, the most beautiful of all the Sweet Williams. Many brilliant colors, all showing a clear white eye.

SINGLE WHITE. Best pure white.

SINGLE DARK CRIMSON. Wonderful rich deep red. SINGLE SCARLET BEAUTY. Striking fiery scarlet. DOUBLE FINEST MIXED.

SINGLE FINEST MIXED.

Any of above seven: Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 25c.

#### TITHONIA . MEXICAN SUNFLOWER (a)

SPECIOSA (Golden Flower of the Incas). Luxuriant plants growing 6 to 10 feet tall, which are covered with hrilliant orange-scarlet hlooms, 3 to 4 inches across. Fine for cutting, Make wonderful hackground for other flowers. Blooms heavily during late summer and early fall. Pkt., 20c; ½ 02., 45c.

#### TRITOMA - RED HOT POKER (p)

PFITZER'S HYBRIDS. Very large hrilliant fiery red. In hloom continuously over a long period. This is the improved Red Hot Poker. Pkt., 25c; 1/16 oz., 60c.

#### VIOLAS - TUFTED PANSIES (p)

Very free-blooming, fine for heds and borders and unexcelled for rock gardens. All the finest varieties mixed. Pkt.. 10c; ½ oz., 75c.

#### **VERBENA**

Our new Grandiflora Verhenas are the very best strain on the market. All mammoth-flowered, tall growing varieties of the most intense colors. Best to sow inside and transplant later to the open ground.

CHOICE MIXED. This is a very choice mixture of all shades and colors of Mammoth Verbenas, made up of the separate colors. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 65c.

ROYAL BOUQUET. Finest mixed in upright growing Verhenas. Large flowers, auricula eyed, brilliant. Especially good for pot culture. Pkt., 25c; 1/16 oz.

#### WALLFLOWER

FINEST SINGLE MIXED. Long spikes closely set with large, single, sweet scented flowers in many hright colors. Pkt., 10c; 1/16 oz., 50c.



Spencer Sweet Peas



Dahlia-Flowered Zinnia

#### The Lost Word in Zinnios

Bodger's Latest Development in Dahlia-Flowered Zinnias

#### CROWN O' GOLD STRAIN

DESERT GOLD. A dual-toned gold and yellow of the softest and most beautiful blending of colors. 2½ to 3 ft. high, with hlooms 6 inches in diameter. Pkt.,

DESERT GOLD MIXTURE. Includes old rose, cream, yellow, carmine red, pink and lavender. This is the most down to date collection of Zinnia colors obtainable. Last year as soon as our Tulips in front of the office faded, we planted seed of this mixture and had the most admired bed of Zinnias ever seen. Pkt.,

#### ZINNIAS

Our Zinnia seed is grown for us by the greatest growers of Zinnia seed in the world. There is no better Zinnia seed to be procured anywhere, we do not care where one may purchase it. We pride ourselves in handling only the very hest. We keep our varieties pure and fresh and we invite anyone who desires good Zinnias to try our seed.

Bodger's Gold Medal Strain Dohlia-Flowered

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Zinnias

Our seed of this wonderfully popular flower comes direct from the introducers which guarantees its absolute high quality. These are the largest and best Zinnias on the market. None better can be purchased. CANARY BIRD. Rich canary-yellow.

CRIMSON MONARCH. Deep crimson.

DREAM. Deep lavender.

EXQUISITE. Light rose.

GOLDEN DAWN. Golden yellow.

ILLUMINATION. Deep rose self.

METEOR. Very rich darkest red.

OLD GOLD. Light and deep old gold.

OLD ROSE. Real old rose shade.

ORIOLE. Orange and gold bicolor.

POLAR BEAR. Large pure white.

SCARLET FLAME. Brilliant scarlet.

Any of the above: Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 50c.

1 pkt. each, the 12 named sorts, \$1.00.

DAHLIA-FLOWERED MIXTURE. Here is a wonderful mixture of all Dahlia-Flowered Zinnias in just the right proportion of colors to make just the right hlend. Pkt., 10c; 1/8 oz., 30c; 1/4 oz., 50c.

Bodger's Mammoth Colifornio Giant Zinnias

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Giants are taller than the Dahlia-Flowered, standing
3 to 4 feet, with long stems which make them fine for
cutting. Flowers very large and flat, and colors range
from the softer shades into the brilliant ones.
BRIGHTNESS. Bright pink.
CERISE OUEEN. Beautiful cerise-rose.
DAFFODIL. Canary-yellow.
ENCHANTRESS. Light rose, deep rose center.
GOLDEN QUEEN. Golden yellow.
GRENADIER. Bright dark red.
LAVENDER GEM. Deep rosy lavender.
MISS WILLMOTT. Soft pink.
ORANGE KING. Orange-scarlet.
ORANGE QUEEN. Golden orange.
PURITY. Best white Zinnia.
ROSE QUEEN. Very hright rose.
SALMON QUEEN. Salmon-rose.
SCARLET GEM. Rich deep scarlet.
VIOLET QUEEN. Deep purple-violet.
Any of the above separate colors: Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz.,
50c. 1 pkt. each the 15 named sorts, \$1.20.

CALIFORNIA GIANT MIXTURE

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In making up this mixture we have taken the separate colors and hlended them together so as to give a very pleasant, even well-balanced mixture such as will surely please.

Pkt., 10c; 1/8 oz., 30c; 1/4 oz., 50c.

LILLIPUT or POMPON ZINNIAS. Lilliput Zinnias are beautiful little Zinnias growing 12 to 18 inches in height. The flowers are heautiful in shape and come in many attractive colors. They are exceptionally nice for small beds in separate colors and very nice for horders and hedges.

#### SIX BEAUTIFUL COLORS

Canary-Yellow Golden Gem Purple Gem Rosebud White Gem Scarlet Gem

Lilliput Finest Mixed. Made of the above colors.

Any above: Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 40c. 1 each the 7 kinds, 50c.

#### Other Types of Zinnios

RED RIDING HOOD. This attractive little Zinnia grows hut a foot high. Covered all through the season with little intense scarlet blooms 1 inch in diameter, little nicely built brilliant red Pompons. Very bright. Makes a beautiful bed all one kind. Pkt., 10c; 1/8 oz., 25c.

LILLIPUT TOM THUMB MIXTURE. 4 to 6 inches high, covered with well-formed small flowers in red, orange, yellow, pink, rose, and other pastel shades. Little plants are of most perfect shape and if spaced 8 inches apart make a perfect border. Pkt., 15c; 34 oz., 25c. 1/8 oz., 25c.

SCABIOSA FLOWERED. 2 to 2½ feet high. Flowers resemble the Scabiosa and are very pretty. In crimson, scarlet, orange, pink, yellow, and white. Pkt., 20c.

Pkt., 20c.

HAAGEANA DOUBLE MIXED. Small flowered Mexican Zinnia. Odd and attractive. Fine for bouquets. Here is something indeed nice. Different from other Zinnias. Not so stiff. The color combinations are brilliant and odd like those of a Navajo blanket. Nice for edging. Pkt., 10c; 1/6 oz., 25c.

PUMILA PICOTEE DELIGHT MIXED. Large flowers about 3 inches across. Petals tipped with a contrasting color; the light shades tipped dark and the dark shade light. Pkt., 10c.

EARLY WONDER ZINNIAS. A new race of dwarf early flowering Zinnias, producing masses of Pumila type flowers on very long stems, making it a great Zinnia for cutting. Pkt., 10c.



If Your Order Amounts to Less than \$1.00, Please Add 15c far Pastage

## The Very Best in GLADIOLUS

They Are Thrip-Free, and as Fine as We Have Ever Grawn

#### Prices unless otherwise stated: 2 of one kind for 12c; 10 of the same kind, 50c

All Gladialus Prices are Pastpaid.

Albatrass. A very fine clear white.

Apricat Glaw. A bright clear unmarked apricot. Early.

Ave Marie. A large light blue with small purple blotches.

Bagdad. One of the best of the old rose smoky varieties.

Betty Nuthall. Coral-pink shading to orange with yellow marked throat.

Bill Sowden. One of the best deep rich reds flecked with darker red.

Brightside. A medley of colors but orange in general effect. 10c each.

Charles Dickens. A rich purple violet with a long beautiful spike.

Debonair. A tall La France-pink with a cream

Dr. C. Haeg. A glossy, velvety maroon, silvered

around the edges. 20c each; 10 for \$1.60. Dr. F. E. Bennett. One of the very best of the brilliant scarlets.

Emile Aubrun. A large smoky bronze, with a rich cherry blotch.

Glendale. A bright deep red-purple.

Golden Pappy. The richest, deepest toned yel-

low glad. 10c each; 10 for 60c.

Heritage. A pure pink with a snow-white throat. 20c each; 10 for \$1.60.

Joerg's White. Almost a pure white with crim-

son touches on the throat. Lady Larene. A dainty bright attractive pink. Lavender Bride. A large beautiful smoky lav-

Latus. One of the most beautiful blends of bright pink and white.

Maid of Orleans. A pure white with a creamy throat.

Mammath White. A sensational white show flower.

Margaret Fultan. A rich deep salmon, shaded apricot in the throat.

Marmara. A giant lavender-gray, with bright red blotches.

Mildred Lauise. A favorite light salmon, with faint ruby lines in the throat.

Minuet. The beautiful lavender by which all others are judged.

Marocca. Maroon flecked black with jet black buds.

Mr. W. H. Phipps. One of the very best of the even-toned pinks.

Mrs. F. C. Peters. Large blooming lavender

with scarlet blotch. Mrs. Lean Dauglas. A grant flame-pink, heavi-

ly splashed with scarlet.

Mrs. Ray P. Chase. Creamy white with large

yellow throat blotch.

Orange Queen. A late light orange variety. Our Selection. A striking salmon-red, overlaid with slate.

Pelegrina. By far the most beautiful deep violet-

blue.

Pfitzer's Triumph. A velvety salmon-scarlet with a ruby throat.

Phyllis McQuiston. An excellent all around pure pink. 10c each; 10 for 80c.

Picardy. The greatest pink glad of all time.

Ruffled Gald. Heavily ruffled yellow with a rose-pink throat.

Smiling Maestro. An outstanding large salmonpink. New. 20c each; 10 for \$1.60.

Star of Bethlehem. A large snow white with creamy white throat. Best white to date. 20c each; 10 for \$1.60.

Sweetheart. A waxy pure pink with a snowwhite throat.

Veilchenblau. A large violet blue, with pansy like blotches in the throat.

Wasaga. Nothing finer among the clear rich buffs.

Wuertembergia. A showy giant scarlet with

### BRAND'S Rainbow Gladiolus Collections

All These are Postpaid.

There will be no finer collection of Standard Gladiolus sent out this spring, from any house, no matter where, than these.

Each collection will be picked separate, by itself, direct from the bins containing the named kinds, nothing will be left to chance. They are thrip free. We know just what they are.

#### RAINBOW Collection "A"

One hundred high class Gladiolus in at least 25 different named kinds, all colors. It contains no bulb worth less than 10c if taken alone.

100 Large Bulbs

### RAINBOW Collection "B"

This collection will be made up of the same varieties as Collection "A", only the bulbs will be of medium size.

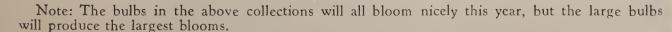
Medium \$3.00 100

### RAINBOW Collection "C"

This collection will also contain the same varieties as Collections "A" and "B" but in smaller bulbs.

All Blooming Bulbs

Small \$2.00 100





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## Plant the New Minnesota Apples Produced



New Apples which have been thoroughly tried out over a long period of years, and been found absolutely hardy in this climate. Some are among the very best all-winter Apples of the world.

BEACON This is the new fall Apple. It ripens shortly after the Duchess of Oldenburg and will keep for about a month after it is ripe. The authorities of the State Fruit Farm have had it under test for a long period and believe it the best fall Apple we have. It is a beautiful appearing Apple, being a deep allover red, covered with many minute white spots.

The tree is hardy and is an early and heavy bearer. The fruit is proving very attractive on the market and a great seller. The quality of the Apple is of the best. This is a variety that is fine for a tree or two in the home garden, and as a com-

mercial orchard Apple; for its season there is nothing better.

\$6.50 \$15.00 7.50 3 to 4 ft. ..... (Postpaid)
4 to 5 ft. .... (Express Collect) \$0.80 .95

HARALSON The hardiest of all good all-winter, long-keeping Apples. An Apple of good size, nice shape. A red Apple of good flavor. Will keep in an ordinary cool cellar without any artificial refrigeration and come out in May in fine condition.

The tree is not overly large, and can easily be trimmed low so that much of the picking can be done from the ground. The limbs are heavily shouldered and make

It is an early and heavy bearer. Trees in our own orchard planted as 1-year trees commenced to bear the third year.

It is an annual bearer.

It has been tried out by the Vermont Station and found to do splendidly under the New England conditions.

It is just the tree for the New England and New York orchard districts to take the place of the Baldwin, most trees of which went out in the severe winter of two years

It is the great winter Apple for Mon-tana, the Dakotas, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Michigan; in fact, for all states on the northern boundary.

Our Haralson trees are made doubly hardy by being grafted on Minnesota Apple stocks grown from seed gathered from Hardy Minnesota-grown Apples.

## All on Minnesota Apple Roots. (Prepaid)

Each Fine, 2 to 3 ft. ...\$0.40 \$2.75 \$6.25 \$25.00 Fine, 3 to 4 ft. . . . . 50 3.20 7.50 Fine, 4 to 5 ft. ... (Express Collect) .65 5.85 13.75

JOAN The sensational new Apple from the Iowa Station at Ames. A hand-bred cross between the Jonathan and the hardy both parents.

Joan is a large Apple, of a beautiful shape, with pure white flesh. It is an all-over beautiful red in color. An Apple of the finest quality, it has been carefully tested out and has all the earmarks of a coming Apple. 

#### BRAND'S WINTER

This is an Apple of our own origination. Some 35 years ago O. F. Brand, founder of this nursery, planted seed of a cross between Fameuse and Wealthy. Among many seedlings were two good ones, Brand's Winter and one other.

Brand's Winter is a large, rather flattish Apple in shape much like the Duchess of Oldenburg. The color is green, almost entirely covered with a very deep dark red. The Apple is smooth and uniform in appearance and looks fine and tempting in the basket.

This variety has borne steadily now on our grounds for over 25 years. It has always yielded a big crop year after year until the year of 1937, when the crop was almost a failure, although not a total one. It is the greatest and most regular bearer we have.

The dark red Apples run large. The flesh is white and juicy, flavor very fine. The Apple ripens about the first of October but hangs tenaciously to the tree until picked, a fine point in its favor.

The Apple is a regular winter Apple and is at its best during January and February. We consider the tree a splendid orchard tree of about the same degree of hardiness as McIntosh.

We put out an acre of Brand's Winter in our own orchard this

season.		Each	5	10	25	100
2 to 3 ft., 1-yr.	(Postpaid)		_		\$ 8.75	
3 to 4 ft., 1-yr.	(Postpaid)	.60	2.75	5.00	11.25	40.00
4 to 5 ft., 1-yr.	(Express Collect)	.70	3.25	6.00	13.75	50.00
5 to 6 ft., 1-yr.	(Express Collect)	1.00	4.75	9.00	21.25	80.00

MINNESOTA No. 1007 The Haralson has made a place for itself. It has been with us for some years and we now know a lot about it. But No. 1007, not yet named, is the new Apple which Apple lovers in the North have been looking for these many years.

The authorities at the State Fruit Farm say that it is the greatest allwinter Apple of all the world, that there is nothing that will beat it.

No. 1007 is a big red Apple with some green on it. A fine appearing large Apple that will keep through the winter in an ordinary cellar. The tree is hardy here, a heavy bearer, and the Apple is of the finest

We have searched long for first class all-winter Apples that are hardy in the northern climate. The Haralson and No. 1007 are just what we have been looking for. They open up a new source of revenue to those who will plant orchards of them now before too many get into the game. Big returns await the planter of these two varieties who will put out an orchard and care for it.

Each. 3 to 4 ft. ..... (Postpaid) 4 to 5 ft. ..... (Express Collect) \$0.80 \$6.50 \$15.00 .95 7.50



Russian Apple Anisim. Joan has retained the splendid eating qualities of the Jonathan combined with the hardiness and the great bearing qualities of the Anisim. It also carries the beautiful rich red color of

Our Sp	ecial Coll	ection of	All N	ew Apples
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1 Minnesota No. 1007. Red and green; all-winter. 3 to 4 ft. ...80 1 Beacon. Red; fall. 3 to 4 ft. ..... 1 Joan. Red: early winter. 4 to 5 ft. . . . . . . . . . . . 1.25 

A regular value of \$4.05— \$3.75 Prepaid, for only ......

2 of each for \$7.00, prepaid.

## on the Minnesota Fruit Breeding Farm

## The ANOKA Apple A DWARF APPLE FOR THE FAMILY GARDEN

The Apple Tree That is Different From All Other Apples

Anoka is a new Apple produced by that great plant wizard of South Dakota, Professor Niels Hansen. The tree starts to bear very young, often producing Apples on two-year-old trees in the nursery row and is a heavy annual bearer. The fruit has much the appearance of Duchess of Oldenburg but is larger and a little more oblong, and does not show quite so much color. Ripens very early, beginning around August 15th. The flavor is mild and very fine. We like it much better than Yellow Transparent.

Four of these trees were sent to the Fargo, North Dakota, Experimental Station in the spring of 1920 (one-year trees). In the fall of 1922 that Station made the following report: "This spring two of the four trees blossomed; one produced 23 Apples, the other 26."

Eleven years ago we purchased two trees from Professor Hansen. The second year after planting, one of the little trees—then only a three-year-old—produced 14 large Apples; the other tree 12. Neither of the trees is over 7 feet tall and both have borne large crops every

One spring we had 46 little 3 to 4 ft. trees that we failed to sell. We planted these back into the nursery row. Six of these bore fruit that same year, one ripened 7 Apples.

Each 3 to 4 ft. ..... (Prepaid) 4 to 5 ft. ..... (Prepaid) \$2.75 \$5.00 \$0.60 6.50

#### PATTEN No. 5 PEAR

Everyone living in a climate similar to that of Minnesota knows of the long search that has been made for hardy Pears. A number of varieties have been found that are now doing well in Minnesota. Of these, the Patten No. 5 is the hardiest. Even North Dakota houses carry this Pear on their lists. The Patten is a big Pear, turning yellow and mellowing on the tree as it ripens. It is wonderfully juicy, sweet, and fine flavored. The hardiest of all good Pears.

Nice 3 to 4 ft. trees, 80c each; 2 for \$1.50.

#### SPACING DISTANCE FOR FRUIT TREES

Apple ...... 30 to 40 feet apart each way ..... 16 to 20 feet apart each way Sour Cherry .... 16 to 24 feet apart each way Sweet Cherry ... 20 to 30 feet apart each way
Pear ..... 18 to 24 feet apart each way Plum ...... 18 to 24 feet apart each way Apricot ...... 18 to 24 feet apart each way



Anoka, fruiting heavily two years after planting

Plant Standard Hardy

Minnesota Apple Trees

Plant our Hardy Apple Trees for northern climates. We carry a nice line of strictly No. 1 trees in the grades offered.

buchess of oldenburg. The old standard summer cooking Apple. Tree first degree hardy, abundant bearer.

McINTOSH RED. A red Apple that often keeps into the winter. Of the very highest quality. Hardy in the more favorable Apple locations in the southeastern part of this state.

NORTHWESTERN GREENING. Very large green Apple turning to yellow as it ripens. Apples will keep all winter under good cellar conditions. Good both to cook and to eat from hand.

RED DELICIOUS. The Red Delicious Apple seen so much in the winter store trade. Not hardy in Minnesota except in very favored locations, but one of the best Apples farther south and east.

Patten No. 5

YELLOW TRANSPARENT. An extremely hardy early summer Apple. Can be grown far North. Very early. Yellowish white. Splendid eating and cooking Apple.

WEALTHY. Large red late fall Apple of the very highest eating qualities. Fine appearing fruit. Young and wonderful bearer. Hardy.

WHITNEY CRAB. A large red conical shaped Crab on the sweet order. Wonderful to eat from the tree, for canning, or making sweet pickles.

#### PRICES HARDY APPLE TREES

	Each	3	10
3 to 4 ft (P	repaid) \$0.40	\$1.05	\$3.00
4 to 5 ft (P	repaid) .65	1.75	5.50

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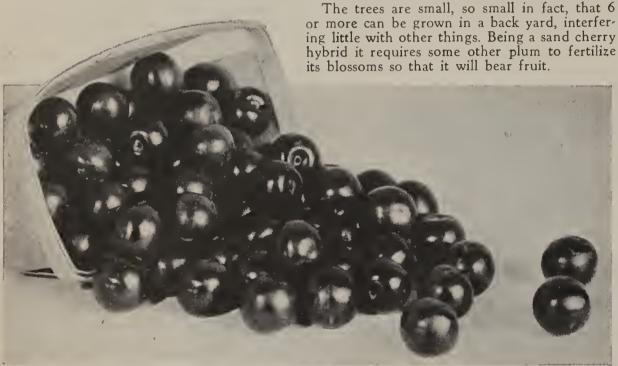


## CHERRY

From Prof. Hansen, the Plant Wizard of South Dakota

The trees are perfectly hardy in North and South Dakota, Wisconsin, North Michigan, and all over Minnesota, wherever the hardy fruits can be grown.

The trees begin to bear as two-year-olds right in the nursery rows and properly fertilized will bear heavy crops every year. The fruit is round, averages 11/4 inches in diameter, is black on the outside with a rich juicy red-purple flesh that is very sweet.



Oka Cherries

## **ROCKY** MOUNTAIN **CHERRY**



Rocky Mountain Cherry is a small bush cherry growing wild in the western Dakotas. In the natural state the fruit is about 1/2 in. in diameter. Under cultivation and selected out for the best varieties it grows larger and many of these selected varieties make a fine fruit for jams and jellies. The bushes grow to a height of 4 to 6 feet and are just black with fruit. It makes a great fruit for the children to run to. Some companies sell the bushes for hedge purposes. It is a perfect fertilizer for the OKA Cherry.

Nice 12 to 18 in. bushes, 8 for \$1.00; select bushes, 18 to 24 in. 35c each; 4 for \$1.00. 2 to 3 ft., 50c; 2 for 75c.



All who have had the pleasure of eating this wonderful new plum-cherry hybrid are perfectly agreed that it's the sweetest and finest of all hardy cherries.

In 1932 Oka Cherry was the only new fruit added by the Minnesota State Horticultural Society to its fruit list for planting all over the state.

We find the Rocky Mountain Cherry best for fertilizing purposes. One Rocky Mountain Cherry should be purchased to go with each 6 Oka Cherry trees.

OKA CHERRY is beginning to be planted by orchardists in large quantities and is proving profitable in a commercial way. Large fruit growing on small trees makes easy picking.

#### **OKA Cherry Price**

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4	to	5	ft.		75	3.05	5.90
5	to	6	ft.	(Not Prepaid	) 1.25		

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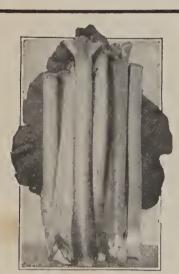
**Nanking Cherries** 

### NANKING CHERRY

(Prunus Tomentosa)

Something entirely new. A very ornamental spreading shrub or low growing tree (can be kept in either form), covered in early spring before the leaves appear with masses of bloom. Pink in bud, the tiny flowers open a pure white and the contrast between white petals and bright red calyx is very noticeable. The short-stemmed cherry-like fruit, a rich scarlet, ripens in June and is both good to eat and very decorative. It makes a beautiful shrub to plant where an early blooming large shrub is desired and it produces in abundance a crop of delicious fruit good to eat from the hand, that makes beautiful rich red jellies and jams, and a good wine.

Selected strain: 18 to 24 in., 40c; 6 for \$2.10. 2 to 3 ft., 60c; 6 for \$3.30. 3 to 4 ft., 75c; 6 for \$4.20.



### The New RHUBARB

McDONALD. A new and select strain of Rhubarb or Pieplant developed and sent out from the Experimental Station of the Dominion of Canada. McDonald is unusually high in sugar content for a Rhubarb which causes a great saving in sugar in its cooking. It is also an unusually fine flavored Rhubarb which makes it very desirable. Usable over a long period of time. Makes a fine pink sauce of finest flavor. Strong roots, 50c each; 6 for \$2.75, postpaid.

CUBY. Another fine Rhubarb from the Canadian Station. Ruby, like McDonald, is very high in sugar content, and is of exceptionally fine flavor but differs from that variety in color. McDonald is a green stemmed sort with a good deal of red veining running through it while Ruby is a deep rich ruby red, the reddest of all Rhubarb. It makes a deep rich red sauce which is very beautiful and tasty. Strong roots, 50c each; 6 for \$2.75, postpaid.



## The Big New HARDY PLUMS

We carry a very fine assortment of the Improved New Plums. These wonderful Plums have been developed during the past 30 years by the plant breeders at the Minnesota and the South Dakota Fruit Breeding Farms.

These Plums are the best that have been developed up to date. It is very fortunate that we have them, as their possession enables us to pick fruit right off our own trees that is just as fine looking, just as large, and just as fine in quality as the beautiful big Plums that are shipped here from the orchards of California.

We have even shipped Splendid Plum trees to California customers and have had

reports from them after these trees bore that they were the "finest Plums they ever

We are listing 8 different varieties and we would advise buyers if they purchase as many as 8 to 10 trees to take trees of every kind, as the varieties all are distinctly different in flavor. They also fruit at different times and spread the enjoyment of eating Plums over a longer period of time.

All these Plums that carry the wild American Plum blood must be planted in groups side by side so as to fertilize one another or they will not bear.

Our Plums are Not Prepaid except in the 2 to 3 ft. and 3 to 4 ft. sizes. For quantities larger than we quote, write us for special prices.

This is the latest Plum to be sent out by the Minnesota Station after a trial of over twenty years. The Ember is the latest of our entire list. It has exceptionally fine canning and preserving qualities, having a very fine skin after being cooked, with no trace of bitterness from the skin left in the sauce. This Plum also is noted for its

clinging to the tree even after fully ripe and makes a splendid market Plum, as it will hold in good condition for as much as two weeks after picking.

FARIBAULT, MINN.

2 to 3 ft., 70c; 3 to 4 ft., 80c, postpaid 4 to 5 ft., 80c, express collect

FIEBING Stood in our orchard four years. For two years they have given us a big crop of fine For two years they have given us a big crop of fine Plums. They are the largest first-class Plums we ever grew. They are a large oblong Plum that will average up with large hen's eggs. The color is a deep blue-black. Very meaty, small pit, flesh rich and dark, quality very fine. Not so good in quality as Splendid but still strictly first class. Looks like a great big blue prune. Comes into bloom at same time as Splendid and good to plant with that variety as a fertilizer. as a fertilizer.

2 to 3 ft., 45c; 10 for \$2.50, postpaid 3 to 4 ft., 55c; 10 for \$4.00, postpaid

4 to 5 ft., 60c; 10 for \$4.35, express collect

KAGA (Apricot-Plum cross). A midseason variety bearing a round, brilliant red Plum with a wonderful aroma. It has a fine flavor and is a wonderful variety to eat from the tree, but it is especially fine as a canning Plum. There is no bitterness in the sauce as you find in the sauce of many other Plums. It is a wonderful fertilizer for other Plum trees.

2 to 3 ft., 45c; 10 for \$2.50, postpaid 3 to 4 ft., 55c; 10 for \$4.00, postpaid 4 to 5 ft., 60c; 10 for \$4.35, express collect



Superior

#### Special Collection

We are including an Oka Cherry in this Plum Collection, as they fertilize one another.

1 EACH of Ember, Fiebing,
Kaga, Oka Cherry, Splendid,
Superior, Surprise, Toka, and
Underwood, all in 4- to 5-foot
sizes. Regular price \$6.10.

SPECIAL \$5.85 Express
PRICE \$5.85 collect



that time we said that the Splendid was the finest Plum we had ever eaten. We still say the same thing. To date we have never had a Plum that will compare with the Splendid for quality. A new chance seed-ling originated in southern Minnesota. Fine, rather upright growing tree. Fruit almost round, slightly larger at the base. Bright red, with numerous white spots, changing to deep, rich red as it becomes thoroughly ripe. Skin thin, pit small, fruit large, averaging 1½ to 1¾ inches. Flesh firm, richly colored, meaty, and the flavor is simply splendid.

3 to 4 ft., \$1.00, postpaid. 4 to 5 ft., \$1.00; 5 to 6 ft., \$1.25, not prepaid

SUPERIOR (Apricot-Plum cross). This is a Minnesota Station Plum and probably the greatest Plum that source has sent out, and is so rated by the authorities there. This Plum is of the greatest size and its peculiar cone shape makes it very attractive. The fruit is of firm flesh, a beautiful red color, and of the finest quality. The fruit ripens over a long season and is profitable as a commercial sort. We secured our first tree from the Fruit Breeding Farm, and it bore its first big crop as a three-year-old.

2 to 3 ft., 45c; 10 for \$2.50, postpaid 3 to 4 ft., 55c; 10 for \$4.00, postpaid 4 to 5 ft., 60c; 10 for \$4.35, express collect

SURPRISE Although not one of the fruit farm Plums, it is a Plum of the very finest quality. It is oval in shape, deep red in color, and covered with minute white dots. Here is another variety that is fine to plant with other Plums to act as a fertilizer. Since this is an excellent variety to use for fertilizing purposes we can supply only one tree to a customer.

4 to 5 ft., 65c each, express collect

TOKA (Apricot-Plum cross). This is a flat mediumsized Plum, brilliant red in color, with pleasant
aroma. It is a wonderful canning Plum, as there is no bitterness from the skin or its small pit. The tree is a veritable
ornamental one and the finest shaped tree we grow. The fruit
is of excellent quality.

2 to 3 ft., 45c; 10 for \$2.50, postpaid
3 to 4 ft., 55c; 10 for \$4.00, postpaid
4 to 5 ft., 60c; 10 for \$4.35, express collect

UNDERWOOD
This is the earliest of the large
Plums. It bears annually Plums
1¼ inches in diameter. The fruit is brilliant red in color,
with a small pit, and hangs well to the tree. This is a Plum
of splendid quality which is planted in large quantities for
commercial orchards. You can depend upon this variety to
bear good crops of salcable fruit.

2 to 3 ft., 45c; 10 for \$2.50, postpaid
3 to 4 ft., 55c; 10 for \$4.00, postpaid
4 to 5 ft., 60c; 10 for \$4.35, express collect

### PLUM SEEDLINGS

We have a fine Plum orchard containing all of the new Plums we offer for sale. Each year we gather Plums from all these fine varieties, wash out the pits and plant them. In this way all new varieties of Plums are secured. We have selected out the nicest of these trees which run a strong 3, to 5, foot grade. We are offering these Plums at so cheap a price that any one wishing to try them out can afford to do so. These trees are all from the very best and hardiest Plums grown. They are often used for ornamental plantings grown in Plum thickets. If planted for this purpose they can be grown as close as six feet apart. They grow into a dense thicket which is a mass of bloom in the spring, and for the first five or six years they produce quantities of fruit. If they are planted in the orchard in regular orchard formation, 12 by 18 feet apart, they will make a paying investment. They will produce great quantities of fruit and occasionally one will find a wonderful new Plum among them.

3 to 5 ft., 4 for \$1.35, postpaid. 10 for \$1.50; 100 for \$10.00, not prepaid





### RED LAKE CURRANT

Grow Your Own Currants—The Plants Take Up Little Space

A new currant that comes from the Minnesota Fruit Breeding Farm. A selection made from over 5000 new kinds. It was tried out over a period of years before being introduced and was found to be the best currant ever introduced.

Up to the time Red Lake was introduced, Perfection Currant stood at the head of the list of all Currants. Perfection is a dark red Currant, the berry is very large, the bunch is long and well-filled out, it bears heavily, and the fruit was the sweetest of all red Currants. Perfection has all these good qualities, but it has one bad quality. It has a weak bush. As the bush ages, it breaks down and sprawls all over the ground.

Red Lake has all the good qualities of Perfection. It is a dark red berry. The berry is as large as that of Perfection. The bunch is just as long and just as well filled out. It is just as sweet. It is just as good as Perfection in all respects, and it goes Perfection one better. It has what Perfection lacks—a good strong bush.

Red Lake is an early midseason Currant, so it is on the market when it is at its best. Holds its dark green foliage very late.

1-year No. 1, 40c each; \$2.75 per 10

2-year No. 1, 60c each; \$1.00 per 2; \$2.45 per 5; \$4.25 per 10, postpaid

LONDON MARKET One of the principal Currants grown for market over a large part of the country. A very heavy bearer of good-sized Currants of a light bright red color. Bush large, carries its foliage right up to heavy frost. Season late.

1-year No. 1, 20c each; \$1.80 per 10, postpaid 2-year No. 1, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10, postpaid

Each, 35c; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.50

CHERRY colored jelly.

One of the best of the old-time Currants. Bunch short but berries extremely large and dark red. Wonderful for making a very rich Strong 2-year No. 1, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10, postpaid \$20.00 per 100 by express



(Postpaid)

## LATHAM Red Raspberry

Greatest of All Raspberries

More money can be made growing red Raspberries for market than from any other farm crop. The Latham is the greatest red Raspberry ever introduced. In competition with all other high producing varieties at the Connecticut Experimental Farm under official test the crop yield per acre was:

> Latham ..... 5430 Quarts

Which conclusively shows the outstanding superiority of Latham as a producer and a money maker. In our own fields we have netted over \$1000 per acre from Latham.

Our fields of Raspberries are inspected three times every growing season by official state inspectors and our stock is certified

There are more Latham Raspberry plants grown at Faribault, Minnesota for sale than any one other city in the world. There are no better plants grown than we offer.

Latham can be grown all over the country the most successfully of all Red Raspberries.

Heavy No. 1 plants: 12 for 80c; 25 for \$1.15; 50 for \$1.90; 100 for \$3.25, postpaid. Express collect, 500 for \$9.95; 1000 for \$18.00.



## Three Wonderful New Grapes

## FREDONIA The Earliest Hardy Grape for the Far North

A big black grape with the quality of the Concord but it ripens three weeks earlier. People living in the colder parts of the country who would like to grow good grapes have looked long for an early grape with the good qualities of the Concord. This grape has been found in the FREDONIA, a new grape sent out from the New York Experimental Station at Geneva. The New York Station has fruited over 22,000 new seedling grapes from which they selected the Fredonia as the best early grape.

Fredonia is a very large black grape of very fine quality. The vine is strong and hardy. The fruit is of very fine eating quality, as good as the Concord and three weeks earlier.

The best early grape grown; 21 days earlier than Concord; will ripen fine fruit in Minnesota.

Fine No. 1 vines—35c each; 5 for \$1.50; 10 for \$2.75 postpaid

## GOLDEN MUSCAT The Best Grape That Can Be Grown In Eastern U. S.

The finest grape that can be grown in the eastern part of the United States. Another wonderful grape sent out by the New York Station. Of it they say: "Golden Muscat possesses the rich golden color of Diamond and the fine Muscat aroma of the European Muscat. For home use and the roadside market it is one of the best. The vine is vigorous, productive; the clusters are very large, tapering, single-shouldered, and compact; the berries are large, oval, juicy, tender, sweet, vinous, aromatic; season after Concord."

Last spring we planted out into our nursery rows over 200 Golden Muscat vines that we had left at the close of the season. Nearly every vine bore from one to three nice big bunches of grapes. Our visitors marveled at the wonderful size and quality of the fruit.

This is the best flavored grape grown in Eastern North America.

Fine No. 1 vines—\$1.00 each; 6 for \$5.00; 12 for \$9.00. Extra 3-year No. 1, bearing size vines—\$1.50 each; 6 for \$7.50, postpaid

## PORTLAND Best Early Green Grape for the North

Another of the new grapes from the New York Station. This is the best early green grape we know of. It is easy to grow in Minnesota, as it ripens so early, being 3 weeks earlier than Concord. A large nice flavored green grape that is taking head place of all green grapes for market use.

2-year No. 1 vines—Each 50c; 3 for \$1.40; 10 for \$4.00, postpaid



**New Portland Grape** 



## 12 CONCORD GRAPES \$100

The Concord grape is the old standard grape, both for quality and bearing, and wherever it can be grown it is about as fine a grape as one can ask for. A big black sweet grape. The great market grape of America.

12 nice 1-year No. 1 vines—\$1.00. 2-year No. 1 vines—15c each; 10 for \$1.35, postpaid.

#### HARDY IRON CLAD GRAPES

The hardiest of all good grapes. There are many places where the finer grapes cannot be grown. For such locations we grow these hardiest grapes, the Beta and the Alpha. These grapes are hybrids worked out between the Concord and our Minnesota wild grape. They are about half way in size between their two parents. Both are tremendous bearers. Fruit of good quality to eat from the bunch and both extremely fine for making homemade wine, grape juice, jam, jelly, etc. Much better for such uses than the purely tame grapes. Best grapes for covering arbors or pergolas. Absolutely hardy over Wisconsin, Minnesota, The Dakotas, Manitoba, etc.

Beta and Alpha—Strong 2-year No. 1 vines Each, 35c; 5 for \$1.10; 10 for \$2.25; 25 for \$4.20. (All postpaid)

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For Only \$1.75

## HARDY OUTDOOR Chrysanthemums

In the far North we need the very hardiest and the very earliest of these Chrysanthemums, so that they carry through the winter and blossom early enough to escape frost in the fall.

In the first place, to live they must be planted in a protected spot behind some sort of a windbreak, so they will not be hit by the winds of winter. Then they must be carefully covered

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But, if one wants to, just before frost comes, they can take the plants up, pot them, and they will give you a wonderful display inside for about six weeks. That is what we did with a few of each kind last fall, and the result was almost beyond belief.

For people living as far or farther north than we do here at Faribault, the Hardy Chrysanthemum should not be depended upon as an outdoor garden flower, for generally it blooms too late. It should be potted just before frost and bloomed inside where it will give wonderful results. The fall asters should be used for the outdoor garden flower.

The Choice of Nearly 100 Kinds

Our list is a choice from nearly 100 kinds which we tested out in the field this year. These are the hardiest and earliest and best of the entire list for far North customers. Of course, the farther South one lives, the longer and surer results one will get.

#### 11 Beautiful Varieties to Choose From

ADIRONDA. A small, compact, reddish bronze. Very free-flowering. An excellent Pompon.

ALADDIN. A pleasing shade of bronze. Late September and early October.

AMELIA (The Azalea-Flowered Chrysanthemum). This wonderful new hardy outdoor Chrysanthemum at the 1933 and 1934 Century of Progress World's Fair created a great deal of interest. The plant is dwarf and spreading in growth and is very hardy. When well established a single plant has been known to carry 1500 blooms at one time open in full flower. It begins to bloom in this latitude in September and from then on until heavy frost, is covered with beautiful pink blossoms. It seems that this flower is sold under many different names, but the true name is Amelia, or Pink Cushion.

EARLY BRONZE. Orange-bronze of Button type. In full bloom about September 20, and remains in fine condition until severe frost. Height 20 inches. Flowers, 15/8 inches.

LORELEI. A very productive yellow which we consider an improvement on Wolverine, both in length of stem and freedom of bloom. Blooms September 10. 3 inches in diameter.

NORMANDIE. One of the carliest and best cream-whites. A very rich, attractive flower. Good size. September 10.

**SEPTEMBER QUEEN PINK.** Very similar in growth, season and maturity to September Queen White, but in color it is a beautiful pink. 18 inches.

SEPTEMBER QUEEN WHITE. Begins flowering late in August. A profusion of pure white flowers 3 inches in diameter in September. Grows 18 inches high.

**TASIVA.** Very free-flowering white flowers about October 1. A wealth of blooms that is not surpassed. 2 feet.

**WOLVERINE.** A beautiful color and very desirable where early flowers are required. Matures September 1. Height, 2 feet

YELLOW NORMANDIE. A bronze-yellow sport of Normandie. A beautiful color and very desirable where early flowers are required. Flowers September 10. Height, 18 inches.

PRICES FOR THE ABOVE CHRYSANTHEMUMS, POSTPAID Any 1 for 35c; any 4 for \$1.25; any 12, assorted as desired, \$3.50. Or 6 of any 1 kind, \$1.50; 12, all 1 kind, \$2.50.

## The New Korean Hybrid **CHRYSANTHEMUMS**

These are the sensational new Hardy Chrysanthemums that carry the hardy blood of the Korean Chrysanthemum that makes of them the hardiest Chrysanthemums in the world. When they first came out there was only the single type but gradually doubles have been evolved until we now have some wonderful double Koreans. We have eliminated the older Koreans as better new ones have appeared and our list is now right up to date with those varieties which we have chosen as the best.

MERCURY. A brilliant deep red of very large size and striking appearance. A very outstanding one and extremely hardy. We think this the best of the older list of Koreans.

Price, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00.

#### Korean Chrysanthemums right down to date 3 beautiful new singles

AGNES SELKIRK CLARK (Single). A very lovely blending of bronzy pink, apricot, and salmon. A profusion of neatly formed blossoms, 3 inches across. An attractive flower that instantly arrests the eye.

NANCY COPELAND (Single). Spectrum red, with an opalescent sheen, which changes with the light, producing a color effect which is very delightful. Large flowers 3 to 3½ inches

PINK LUSTRE (Single). A beautiful flower of fine substance with several rows of petals. A most delightful shade of orchid-pink, distinct from all other shades of pink.

#### The Double Koreans are Now Here

**EMBER** (New 1937). A brilliant glowing bronze that stands out vividly in comparison with any other of its color. A combination of coral and orange shades.

INDIAN SUMMER (New 1936). Vivid glowing orange that immediately captivates the eye. A large flower, 3 inches across, shaggy, and distinct in form. An extremely hardy variety that is not easily hurt by October frosts.

KING MIDAS (New 1937). In profusion of flowers there is no double hardy Chrysanthemum that will compare with this. Commencing in late September the plant is literally covered with bloom until November. Flowers are 4 inches in diameter, full double, and of a charming shade of soft yellow with just the faintest suggestion of bronze.

NORMANDY (New 1936). An exquisitely beautiful flower in color between carmine and opal-red. A soft glowing red with bronze tones enriched with gold reverse on the petals. Full, double, fine cut flower, remaining in fine form for fully 3 weeks. Exhibited at "Garden of the Nations" show October 1935 and both Normandy and Indian Summer received special

THE MOOR (New 1937). Fully double flowers 3 inches in diameter are produced freely. Excellent for cutting. The color is an amaranth purple or a port wine red, a color which is exceedingly brilliant in the garden. 3 inches in diameter. Award of Merit, Boston Orchid

The above 8 new Koreans 50c each; 1 each of the 8 for \$3.60, postpaid.

## BRAND PEONY FARMS

Box 408

FARIBAULT, MINN.



AMELIA The Azalea-Flowered Chrysanthemum

### **COLLECTION "A"**

Sept. Queen White Sept. Queen Pink

Adiranda

Aladdin

Amelia

A \$1.57 value Postpaid for \$1.35

#### **COLLECTION "B"**

Early Bronze

Normandie

Adiranka Walverine

Amelia

A \$1.57 value Postpaid for \$1.35

### **COLLECTION "C"**

COLLECTION "A"

A \$2.70 value \$2.55

KOREAN Chrysanthemum

